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YOUR VIEWS AND MINE!

A Weekly Column of
Local Gossip

By "The Scout"

Our Leading Barristers.

Mr. Eldon Potter, our leading K.C., celebrated his fifty-third birthday on Tuesday and marked the day by winning a case at the Supreme Court before the Acting Chief Justice. It has always given the writer special delight to watch and hear Mr. Potter at his work, and, like a true Irishman, he can always be depended to supply his colleagues and the Court with humour and wit in even the heaviest cases. Mr. Potter's record in the Law Courts of Hong Kong is a lengthy and distinguished one and he has figured in practically all the big cases of recent years. Watching Mr. Potter in the Court one is impressed by the fairness and courtesy with which he treats the opposition and while tilts between Counsel and even between Bench and Bar frequently occur, they are never conducted in any but the best spirit.

Mr. F. C. Jenkin, K.C., who is known in Hong Kong for his brilliance in defending criminal charges is also in the sixties, and no one, seeing the vigour and energy which he and his colleague Mr. Potter put into their cases, would have been able to guess their ages. Mr. Jenkin has been twenty-one years in Hong Kong and during that time he has defended innumerable cases in the Criminal Sessions besides conducting even more civil cases of the utmost importance. No doubt, had he wished, he could write some very interesting reminiscences. One of the most famous cases in which Messrs. Potter and Jenkin appeared on opposite sides was that in which Carvalho Yeo was the central figure. The details of that astonishing affair are no doubt still fresh in the mind of many Hong Kong residents.

Talking about our Barristers, I hear that Mr. A. M. L. Soares, junior, will be back in Hong Kong very soon. He is the son of Mr. A. M. L. Soares, the race owner, and was admitted to the Supreme Court of Hong Kong a couple of years back. He practised here for a time and then went to Singapore, but I heard the other day that he will shortly be returning here.

Dr. Douglas Laing.

I have just received news from the friends of Dr. Laing that he is doing well in London, where he is continuing his medical studies, and a telegram which was received in Hong Kong a few days ago announced that Dr. Laing had passed the first part of an advanced examination in the diseases of eyes, ears, throat and mouth. Dr. Laing is a local boy, and was educated at Queen's College and later, the University, where he took his medical degree. He then joined the Government Service and was made Medical Officer of Schools. He went to London last year and the news of his success will no doubt interest his many friends. Dr. Laing was very popular in Hong Kong and known as a keen sportsman, taking active part in all branches of athletics, but it is his prowess in aquatic that will be long remembered. For five years in succession he figured in the local Harbour races and on each occasion finished second, being beaten by a different man every time. The Harbour race had a strange way of dodging him, but not so other championship races. I once saw his collection of sporting trophies and it would easily fill a small-sized silverware store. Dr. Laing captained the last victorious inter-port swimming team that went to Shanghai to compete against that port and Tientsin, and now when he is thousands of miles away, he still writes to inquire about the V.R.C. of which he was a very active member. Dr. Laing is remaining in London for his R.C.E. examination.

Street Sleepers.

Not many people are aware that a distinct likelihood of street sleepers being accommodated either in this winter in Hong Kong, there is

a matched or some other protection from the winter weather. Street sleepers in Hong Kong are a common end and the wonder is that so far been done for them not at liberty to disclose of those who are now working to assist these unfortunate but I am able to announce that local residents interested in the work have been invited to be held shortly in question of street sleepers discussed. The movement is a step in the right and deserves the support of the community. There is no doubt, in spite of the depression and certainly, many a Moll given towards this good cause, doubt in due course the publicity will be given in the papers of this movement something for the destitute in the midst.

The Tung Wah Hospital.

Mr. M. K. Lo's address to the Rotarians last Tuesday was an opener and no one who heard him for the first time could fail to admire the public-spiritedness of the Hospital. They are the Directorate of the Hospital, but, efficiently, a good deal of community service and all the credit is due to them by reason of the fact that those who cannot hope to repay their benefactors are the ones that receive the biggest benefit from the Tung Wah Hospital's many activities. Such charitable work requires great organising ability and unflinching devotion to the cause. I understand however that while the doctors of the institution, and the medical staff connected with it, deserve the greatest praise, the same cannot be said of some of the underlings employed at the hospital. I have before me a list of complaints by a medical man, which if true, ought to receive the attention of the Directors. There are a number of allegations, and the hospital authorities would be doing additional service to the poorer members of the community by looking into these complaints. It is a pity the laudable efforts of the doctors and directors of this big Chinese institution should, in any way, be marred by the underhand activities of a few avaricious menials.

A Gift of The Typhoon.

The heavy fall of rain on Thursday and again yesterday, has enabled the authorities to give the whole Colony a full supply of water. The typhoon seems to have brought us this one blessing whatever damage it may have done here and elsewhere. Personally, I am glad that the whole Colony is now equal to the question of water, as I thought (and I am sure many others do) that the recent announcement regarding longer hours of supply for certain districts, sounded rather unattractive. As a matter of fact, I had a nice grouse all written up for the Editor when I saw yesterday's announcement of the full supply in the whole. I was not sorry to see my effort go into the W.P.B. and myself, a little later, into a bathing "forbidden" hours.

The liner's many engines throbbed ceaselessly. The chief engineer wiped a sweating forehead as he scowled at the pale-faced young man with an oil can.

"Look here," he growled, "you ain't helping much with these engines, yet I understood you knew something about the game!"

"So I do, sir," stammered the other, "but of a smaller scale, you know."

"What's your regular job?" "Watch the sirens"—"Tut-tut!"

TODAY SHOWERY.

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 5.05 P.M., STATED:—

PRESSURE IS HIGHEST OVER THE PACIFIC TO THE EAST OF HOKKAIDO. A large depression covers S. CHINA WHICH HAS ABSORBED THE DEPRESSION OF THE CHINA SEA.

LOCAL FORECAST:—S.W. WINDS, FRESH; CLOUDY, SOUALLY, SHOWERY.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TODAY

(July 1)

(Int'l V. Moon, 8th Day)
Dominion Day (Canada).
Bank Holiday.
Whist Driver at China Light and Power Recreation Club, King's Park, 9 p.m.

Theatres.

King's: "The Squaker."
Queen's: "A Lady's Profession."
Central: "Secrets of the French Police."
Star: "High Stakes."
World: "Loose Ankles."
Oriental: "The New Fox Folio."
Majestic: "Evenings for Sale."

Dances.

Tea Dances at King's Restaurant, Hong Kong Hotel, Gloucester Building, and Majestic Dancing Academy.
Dinner Dances at King's Restaurant, Hong Kong and Repulse Bay Hotels, and Gloucester Building.

Sports.

Baseball.—Lingnan University v. South China (Caroline Hill), 4.30 p.m.
Lawn Bowls.—First Division: Kowloon Docks R.C. v. Civil Services C.C.; Craigengower C.C. v. Club de Recreio; Police R.C. v. Kowloon C.C.; Tai Koo R.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.; Second Division: Yach Club v. Kowloon B.G.C.; Club de Recreio v. Craigengower C.C.; Civil Services C.C. v. H.K. Electric R.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. Indian B.C.

Principal Mails.

Outward air mail for Europe by Manx, 9 a.m., steamer 10.30 a.m. for Australia by Nankin, 9.30 a.m.; for America and Europe via Siberia by Express of Asia, noon.
Tides.—High at 2.20 and 14.11; Low at 8.53 and 21.46.

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Supreme Folly.
tion of skilled foreigners start works in the new the supreme folly in the nation which wishes to industries for itself. site of the free admission individuals from abroad improved again and again early stages of industrial in other countries. very inducement for for- to co-operate with the development of works country, provided they can obtaining a fair deal. on against them is the rent to-day, for in spite any other factor, which encourage enterprise all world, there is a wide among engineering nationalities that the as in China in the near immense, even in face atacles as the difficulty of contracts and the of many dealers. If be realised by the ers that the quickest op this great country ess themselves is by strict acceptance of and co-operation and the world.

ended to convey this that there are no re- skilled Chinese engi- ers. It is not the case. But there are too few of them for the development of the country, and every instance they have learned their profession either abroad, in Chinese institutions founded staffed mainly by foreigners. Engineers in China and abroad, we have as a whole a real sympathy and interest in this country, willing to give of their best in interests, provided only that the knowledge and experience they possess can be used freely, in full co-operation with the leaders of enterprise, without fear or favour.

China Quick Learners.
The manufacturer or engineer starting a new undertaking in China know that he will have to spend considerable time and effort in training his personnel, but Chinese are quick learners, and what they learn thoroughly they retain, and it is often better to take an entirely untrained man and teach him, rather than to employ one who has learned a little and thinks he knows a lot. For this reason it is more important that during coming years the receptive mind of the younger generation should be brought more and more closely into contact with trained and practical teachers.

The number of foreign trained Chinese engineers returning from abroad is increasing steadily. Education, per se, engineering is worth very little. It is not enough that foreign professors should give lectures which an average Chinese student can repeat word for word months afterwards. He must be taught to apply his knowledge to the practical problem in front of him. Not only so but he must realise fully that skimping does not pay, and that it is false economy to use materials that are "good enough" and which let him down in the long run. It is this kind of knowledge which alone can be gained by practical experience of the best methods, and constant supervision to see that he carries them out to the letter. Actual experience in China, side by side with foreign engineers, would enable these returned students to derive the full benefit from their expensive training abroad, which is now in so many cases entirely thrown away for lack of such partnership. They need to realise that any engineer continues to learn as long as he lives, and that the best opportunities for education are usually to be found after, rather than before, diplomas and degrees have been obtained. N.O.D.N.

TIENTSIN HARBOUR AGAIN SILTS UP

Unofficial Explanation

NO PROVISION FOR DIVERSION OF SUMMER FRESHETS

Tientsin.—The notices issued by the Acting Harbour Master clearly indicate the present condition of the Haiho as the result of the influx of silt into the harbour with the early arrival of summer freshets. Summer freshets usually flow to the lower valley of the Haiho after the Chinese seasonal festival of Hsia Chih (Summer Solstice).

The silt-laden water of the Yungtingho, which has always been a menace to navigation on the Haiho, was to have been diverted into the settling basin, but under special circumstances the sluice at the mouth of the leading channel remains closed, thus allowing the free flowing of the silt-laden water into the harbour.

The explanation of the present deplorable affair is that following the diversion of this year's spring freshets, which was the subject of protracted negotiations in consequence of agitation among the farmers in the area affected by the diversion, an agreement was made between the Commission and representatives of the farmers concerned, which brought the dispute to an end. It was agreed that after due compensation was made for the damage caused by the diversion of spring freshets, summer freshets were to be released into the basin only after the festival of Summer Solstice.

Unfortunately, summer freshets arrived unexpectedly early this year. The sluice could not be lifted under this arrangement and none of the improvement construction work can be utilised. The Commission is apparently not in a position to assume the responsibility for the consequences of diversion before the stipulated time, which this year falls on June 23, only a week ahead.

It is pointed out that the solution of the present difficult situation now depends largely on what action the Governor, General Yu Hsueh Chung, is to take. General Yu is also Chairman of the Haiho Improvement Commission. As soon as someone assume responsibility for the diversion, the Chu Chia Tien sluice can at once be lifted to release the Yungtingho water into the settling basin. It may be mentioned that the diversion of the spring freshets caused the Commission to spend over \$120,000 as compensation for the damage to the landowners in the area occupied by the basin.

HAICHOW HARBOUR WORKS

DUTCH FIRM STARTS WORK TO-DAY.

Haichow, June 23. Harbour construction operations at Haichow will formally commence on July 1, the work to be undertaken by the Netherlands Harbour Works Company, which has been awarded the contract by the Ministry of Railways.

The project involves a financial outlay of \$3 millions and will take 18 months to complete. It will enable steamers of 3,000 tons to enter the harbour. It is understood that the work includes the construction of wharves and a breakwater and the dredging of the harbour.

This harbour development project is in conformity with the Ministry of Railways' scheme for the recently completed extension of the Lung-Hai Railway to Haichow from Haichow. The Haichow Harbour will later furnish a direct outlet to the sea for goods transported on the Lung-Hai Line.—Kuo Min.

CHINA'S ELECTRIC ENGINEERS

COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS FOR GOOD POSTS.

NANKING, June 23.

It is understood that competitive examinations will shortly be held by the National Reconstruction Commission for the selection of seven probationary electrical engineers for service in the Commission and the Metropolitan Power Plant. Successful candidates will be given six months' training and if found satisfactory, will be formally appointed.

Applicants must be University graduates specializing in electrical engineering.

It is also learned that according to arrangements made with the Board of Trustees for the Administration of the British Boxer Indemnity Refund, the Commission will also select and send one engineer to Great Britain for workshop training.—Kuo Min.

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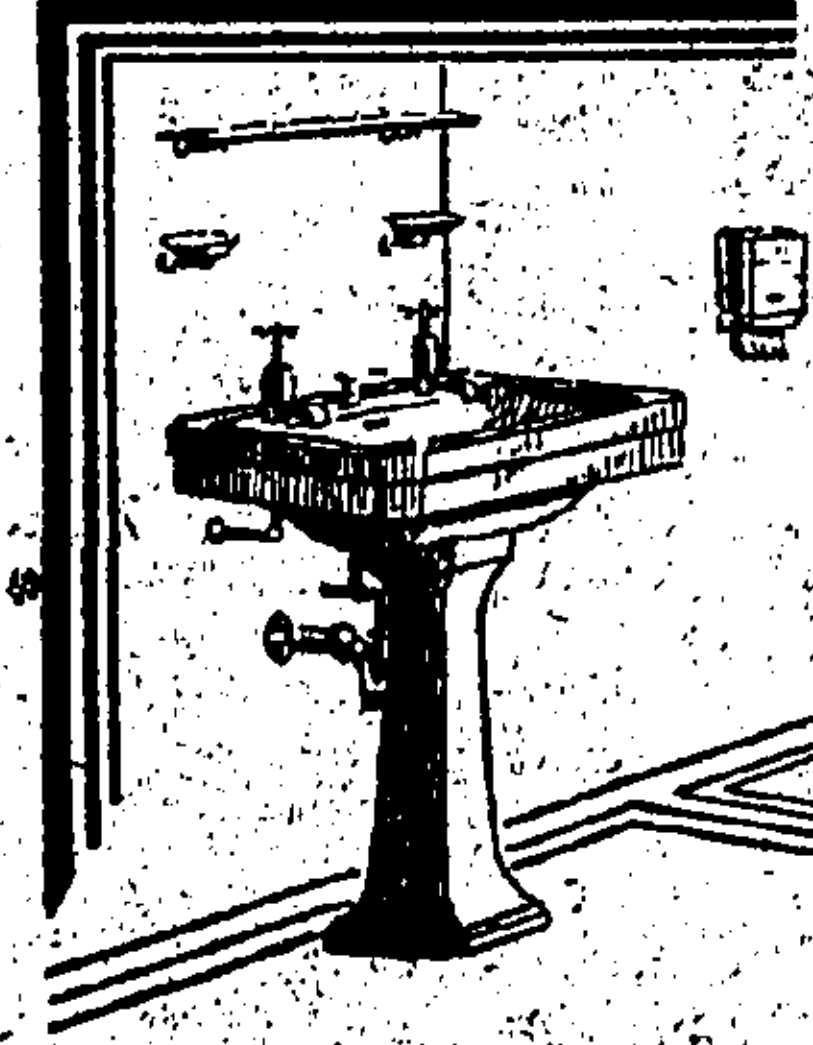
with the Board of Communications regarding the Tung Pu Railway and it is rumoured that the line is now to be a joint undertaking by the National and Provincial Governments. Some time ago conditions were decidedly chaotic as French engineers formerly of the Cheng Tai Railway were instructed by Nanking to extend this line South from Yutzu to Taiku a distance of 40 miles approximately and as this extension was planned to follow the route surveyed some 25 years ago and which Marshal Yen had intended to use as part of the route of the Tung Pu line, it became necessary for him to find an alternative route at least as far South as Chichai. It is expected that this metre gauge extension to Taiku will soon be opened to traffic, as embankments were completed years ago and the bulk of the earthwork is finished. A small locomotive shed at Yutzu standing forlorn on the North-West side of the city, has been a landmark for many years and a mute witness to a scheme which was abandoned through cause arising out of the upheaval in 1909.

Finance Difficulty.
Work is now proceeding on a

is to be thrown across the small stream midway between Yutzu and Taiku. Actually this is either a dry river bed or a narrow torrent, and the bridge is invariably washed out following the summer rains. During Marshal Yen's last journey from his native place, Honien-hsien, he formally opened the work on the track north of Taiyuanfu and followed this up with a visit to the south. According to local reports, contracts were signed with European firms some time ago for 5,000 tons of rails at a c.i.f. price, China port of \$5.10.0 per ton, and also for three locomotives, but apparently finances have been a stumbling block and the payment of bargain money has been seriously delayed. Marshal Yen has approached the Chamber of Commerce with a demand for a loan of \$3,000,000 on which he is prepared to pay interest charges. Each hsien district is required to contribute. It is safe to assume that the money will be forthcoming, but the present turn of political affairs and the possible consequences are not lost on the merchant class and they are naturally reluctant to finance reconstruction schemes when the whole situation is one of instability.—N.O. Daily News.

hand is being laid now, and upon the nature of the foundation will depend the stability of the whole edifice. Engineering of any kind, including almost all branches of modern manufacture, depends for its success on three principal factors. Adequate and properly controlled finance, expert technical direction and management, and the skill of the individual workman. Of the first of these nothing need be said here except that there is, and always will be, money forthcoming for sound enterprises in China, provided that the financial and technical control is in the hands of competent people of known honesty. As regards technical direction it is safe to say that for many years to come the best technical knowledge and experience will be found among foreign nationals, rather than from the Chinese themselves. Similarly it is true that the best practical engineers and workmen will be found abroad. If, therefore, China wishes to forge ahead as an industrial country she must be prepared to seek the quickest and best way of producing Chinese technicians, engineers and workmen equal in ability and experience to the best of other nations.

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MACAO WEEKLY SUPPLEMENT

CAUSEWAY AND RESERVOIR
PLANNEDTAIPA AND COLOWAN DEVELOPMENT
SCHEMES

BY "OBSERVER"

References in the press to the islands of Taipa and Colowan, which form part of the colony of Macao, convey but little to the average reader, but the importance of the schemes projected by the Portuguese Government and the possibility of intensive development in those islands render some information regarding these places desirable.

The name of the colony of Macao is derived from the peninsula on which the city stands, but it is not generally known that the colony includes two islands lying to the south of the peninsula. At one time, when the Portuguese paid but little attention to matters of sovereignty, they also held the islands of Lappa, Dom João, and Wong Kum. The last three islands were mentioned by the Portuguese at the time of the signing of the treaty of 1587, whereby Portugal

vessels exceeding 500 tons berthed in the Taipa Roads and, though history is silent regarding the manner in which the seafarers conducted themselves ashore, several accounts exist of tragedy occurring due to shipwreck or fire, while the accidental blowing up of a Portuguese man-of-war in the middle of the last century is well known.

Taipa was, as has been mentioned, important in the old history of Macao, especially as regards foreign ships visiting the colony. The fort, which still stands, occupies the western point of the island and was therefore a great advantage in guarding the entrance of the inner port of the colony.

In later days Taipa served for a long while as a port for fishing craft, but changed circumstances have drawn many of the fishing boats away, principally to Hong Kong. Yet there is some business



A VILLAGE IN COLOWAN

taxed to its utmost extent and the demand for electric energy has already exceeded the capacity of the plant.

At one time Taipa comprised two separate islands but with the passage of time considerable silt had taken place and the Portuguese authorities decided to take advantage of the work of nature to carry out reclamation work. The result has been that the two islands have been joined by a tract of land of appreciable size on which buildings may in time be erected. Other reclamations are planned and will result in the establishment of a port for fishing craft of the East side of the island. For this purpose portions of the rather steep hills on this part of the Taipa Island will have to be carried down to the sea, but the operation does not present any difficulties, and in addition to a fine piece of low land for business purposes, attractive building sites on the higher levels will then be made available.

Colowan Island.

Colowan Island seems to have been neglected in the past, but as it is to make up for the deficiency, the Portuguese authorities have, in recent years paid considerable attention to its possibilities for development, and it looks as if the Portuguese will soon earn their reward for their efforts. Colowan village is growing, and it will not be long before it will acquire the characteristics of a township. Here, as in Taipa the electric service has been installed by Commander Carmona, whose work in the development of these islands will cause his name to be associated with future prosperity.

Colowan gained some notoriety in 1910 when the Portuguese discovered that pirates were making use of this island, as a sanctuary. A punitive expedition against these miscreants resulted in the clearing of the island of all undesirable characters and the setting up of a number of military units which are now scattered all over the island.

In addition to the probable establishment of minor industries, big schemes are on foot which will tend to convert the islands of Taipa and Colowan, and particularly the latter, into a region of considerable activity in the near future.

Water Supply for Macao.

The greatest of these schemes is that of the water supply for the whole colony of Macao. For this purpose, as soon as the present works in Macao are completed, within another few weeks, the Waterworks Co. will begin work at a place in Colowan called Siao-Pai-Wan, where the natural formation of the hills offers a site for a reservoir which can be built at a comparatively small figure. From this point the water will be pumped over to Macao, after going through the various processes of purification at Colowan. Subsequent developments will bring water from higher levels and supplementary reservoirs to the main reservoir at Siao-Pai-Wan.

Causeways.

Arising from this scheme, and due mainly to the encouragement of the present administration at Macao, other schemes have also come into being. One of these is the proposal to link Macao to the

islands of Taipa and Colowan by many large stone and earth causeways leaving a sufficient wide opening at the channel for the present boat traffic, draw-bridges being provided for direct land communication between the islands and Macao. In conjunction with this scheme a proposal has been made to the authorities to permit this company to establish and develop ports for big steamers on the southern part of Colowan, the company also planning to build a small health resort on the southern coast of this island.

In the meanwhile the Government has not been negligent and, with the authority of the Lisbon Government, will set up an agricultural experimental station in Colowan with the intention of getting the greatest possible advantage from plantations on the hillsides, which at present, but little benefit is secured for the colony. Some talk, too, about using the island of Colowan for building a general settlement.

The leper asylum, at Colowan, where Dr. Peregrino da Costa is carrying on such good work, and has already effected several cures, is already very well known.

The military authorities have also done good work at Colowan and several fine buildings and splendid roads testify to the interest that they take in the island.

The Renaissance of Macao.

It can be seen that these islands will soon take a prominent part in the renaissance of Macao, which has been due in great part to the work carried out by the special commission under Lieut. Col. A.J. Lobato. This able officer has for many years worked unceasingly for the improvement and betterment of the island, and by his encouragement and help many persons have come to take an interest in these islands. He gives every assistance to all who wish to employ their capital and business in the industries and dependencies of Macao, and it will always be said that the islands of Taipa and Colowan will owe an irreparable debt to Col. Lobato, not least among the amenities he has provided for the inhabitants being the schools that have been set up there, while excellent police and military protection is given to all residing in the islands.

It is known that the Government has received applications for permission to establish several new industries in Colowan and a few in Taipa. All these will result in new life being given to the islands, and particularly to Colowan. The assistance that the Government is able to give may be considerable. His Excellency, the Col. Bernardino de Miranda, is able to secure from the Lisbon authorities the support that he hopes to be able to get as a result of his mission in Portugal.

The Portuguese have done much to develop Macao, in recent years, and now that the Government is not able to cede any more land within the limits of the peninsula of Macao all development is, of necessity, forced to make its way to the islands of Taipa and Colowan, while the linking of these islands directly to Macao will result in an unprecedented demand for land there and the building up of industries in a very short time.

The opportunity offered for those with foresight enough to take advantage of the situation is almost unique, and it is not too much to suppose that the Portuguese Government will soon gather the rewards of the devoted work that some of its officers have given to development of the islands.

The "slummit" is a still more formidable problem than the "alum"—The Bishop of Durham. France is the last rampart in Western Europe against reaction and barbarism, and on her the future of European civilisation depends.—Mr. Robert Dell.

WEEK-END RADIO
PROGRAMMEBROADCAST BY 220
ON 355 METRES

- 11.30 a.m.—Chinese recorded programme.
12.30 p.m.—European programme of Victor and H.M.V. records.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
1.15 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)
2.15 p.m.—Close down.
4.7 p.m.—Chinese recorded programme.
7.11.30 p.m.—European programme.
7.9 p.m.—A programme of Victor and H.M.V. records.
7.30 p.m.—A concert.

Orchestral—"Japanese Nocturne" (Richheim)—Leopold Stokowski and the Philadelphia Orchestra—790.
Song—"The Wistful Moon" (Verlaine)—Ezulo.
Song—"Evening Fair" (Bourget)—Debussy—Many Garden (Soprano)—1438.
Piano Solo—"Forgotten Waltz" (Liszt).
Piano Solo—"Capriccio in F Minor" (Dohnanyi)—Vladimir Horowitz—1445.
Song—"The Border Ballad" (Cowen).
Song—"Glory of the Sea" (Sanderford)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone)—B272.
Piano Solo—"Tango" (Albeniz).
Piano Solo—"Boat Song" (Schumann)—Wilhelm Backhaus—1445.
8 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
8.15 p.m.—Variety.

Orchestral—"Watch the Navy" (Verlaine)—Ezulo.
Orchestral—"When the Band Goes Marching By"—Ray Noble and His New Mayfair Orchestra—B238.
Song—"Love Me To-night" (Bourget)—Ezulo.
Song—"There's a Crowd" (Bourget)—Ezulo.
Instrumental—"Rag Rag" (Bourget)—Ezulo.
Instrumental—"Lonesome With Out My Baby"—Mortimer Hauman—B428.
Song—"The Doherty" (Bourget)—Ezulo.
Song—"Give my Heart to You" (Bourget)—Ezulo.

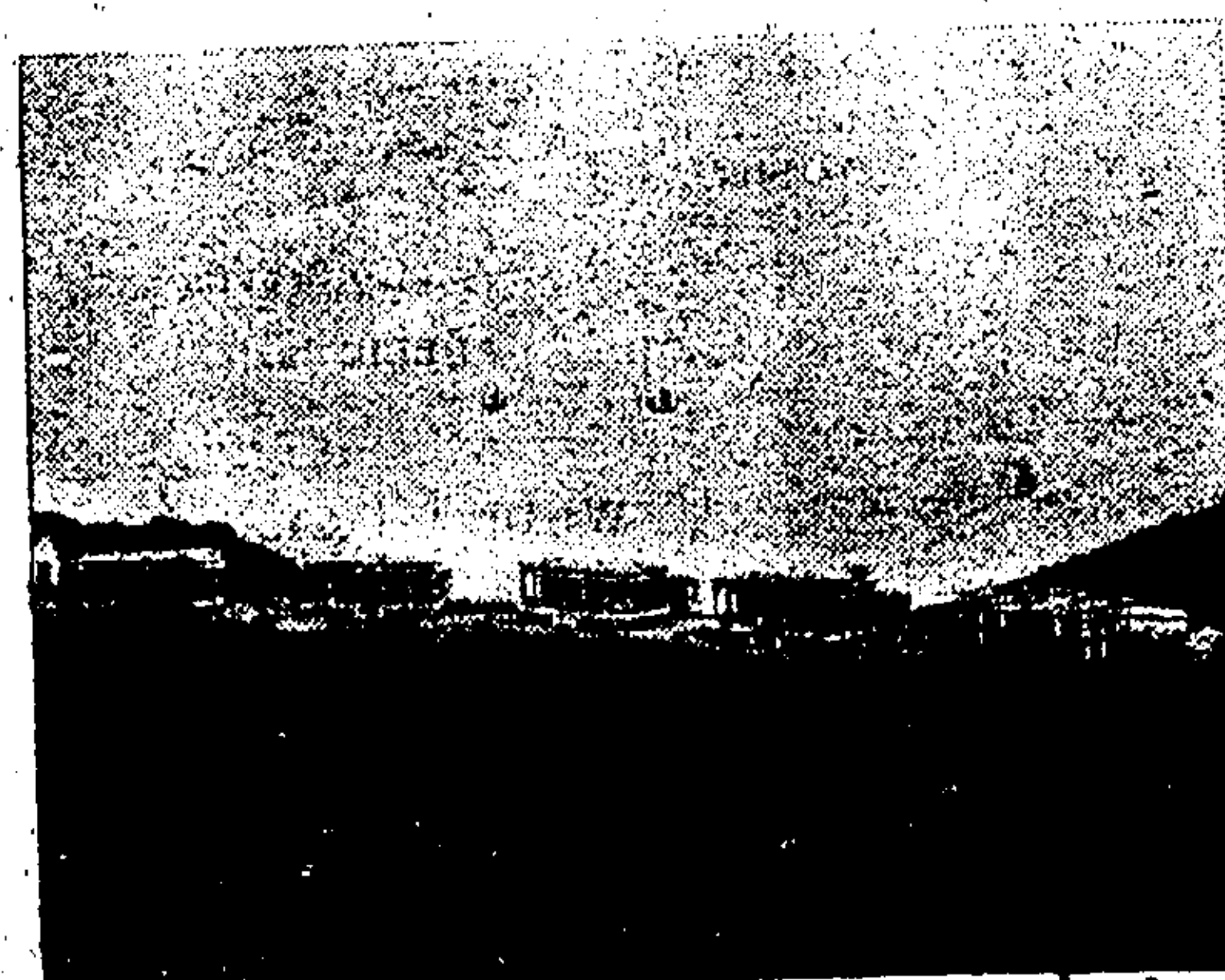
Orchestral—"Strike Me Pink" (Bourget)—Ezulo.
Orchestral—"Let's Call it a Day" (Victor Arden)—Phil Ohman and Their Orchestra—2417.
8.15-8.45 p.m.—Suite (Dohnanyi, Op. 19)—Chicago Symphony Orchestra conducted by Frederick Stock—M-17.
8.45-9 p.m.—

Orchestra and Band Music.

Country Dance No. 1 (German).
Pastoral Dance No. 2 (German).
The Merry-maker's Dance No. 3 (German)—St. Louis Symphony Orchestra—3009.
"Mansel and Gretel Overture" (Humperdink)—Philharmonic Symphony Orchestra of New York—7436.
Orpheus Ballet—Dance of the Spirit (Gluck-Notti).
"Minuet from Serenade" (Brahms)—Detroit Symphony Orchestra under the direction of Ossip Cabrilowitch—6834.
"Prince Igor"—Polovetzki Dance (Borodin).
"In the Village" (Ippolitow-Iwanow)—Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra—6514.
"Masked Ball"—Selection (Verdi, arr. Creator)—Creator's Band. 38003.
9.11.30 p.m.—A relay of the Hong Kong Hotel Orchestra from the Hong Kong Hotel Grill Room by courtesy of the Management. (During the intervals recorded music will be broadcast from the Studio.)
10.30 p.m.—Rugby Mid-day Press news.
11.30 p.m.—Close down.
All records in the above European programmes are supplied by Messrs. S. Moutrie & Co.

SUNDAY, July 2nd.

10-11 a.m.—A relay of St. Joseph's Church Service.
The Visitation of Our Lady.
1.—Holy Mass:—(a) Kyrie (Dobici's Mass in A Flat); (b) Sermon: "Third Commandment: The Lord's Day" by Rev. Father Joy, S.J.; (c) Offertory, Ave Maria (Rheinberger); (d) Sanctus and Benedictus (Dobici).
2.—Benediction—(a) Oratorio: Convivium (Erdos); (b) Tantum Ergo; (c) Adoremus.
11.15 a.m.—A relay of St. Paul's Church Service.
12.15-2.30 p.m.—European programme of recorded music.
1 p.m.—Local time and weather report.
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LEPER ASYLUM: COLOWAN ISLAND

was assured possession of Macao, and the matter was left in abeyance for subsequent decision. Repeated attempts were since made to settle the point, in dispute as regards the ownership of the islands in question, but the matter still remains as it was.

It does not come within the province of these notes to make reference of these islands in litigation, and the writer will therefore confine his observations to the islands of Taipa and Colowan.

Some idea of the relative sizes of these islands in comparison with Macao can be gained from noting that whereas the area of the peninsula of Macao is approximately 5 square kilometres, that of Taipa is 3 square kilometres and Colowan 6 square kilometres. The completion of certain projected reclamation works around the islands will bring them to an area very much in excess of twice the area of the peninsula of Macao.

Taipa Anchorage.

Little is known of the early history of these two islands, although continual reference has been made to Taipa as an anchorage for vessels in the days when Macao was much frequented by ships of the pre-steamship age. At that time all

in Taipa, for with the lack of very cheap land in Macao a few factories have already removed to this island and the tendency seems to be for factories requiring extensive areas of land to establish themselves here. The population of the village exceeds 7,000 and besides a fine chapel there are two Municipal schools as well as a Police Station and military barracks for the forces that guard the islands and keep control, and afford protection to the residents.

Industries and Reclamation Work.
The industries at Taipa include a few associated with the fishing business, in addition to fire-cracker making, and there seems to be a tendency for others to seek the protection and security offered in the place. Some 4 years ago electric lighting was installed in Taipa Island, and this more than anything else has resulted in the drawing of attention to these islands as a place for the establishment of other industries. For this sign of progress the colony is indebted to the indefatigable services of Commander L. Carmona, now Harbour Master at Macao, who on a previous commission at Macao was instrumental in setting up the electric light plant. The new service proved so useful that it was soon

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Madame Racketeer returned to the screen in a new racket of giggle-water and laughing-gas in "A Lady's Profession," Paramount picture with Alison Skipworth, Roland Young and Sari Maritza, at the Queen's.

Brittle humour, infectious laughter wriggle through the story as Miss Skipworth, in the role of a British lady, leaves the safety of her ancestral castle to solve the problems of an impoverished nobleman who persists in leaping from scrape to scrape. Roland Young is excellent as the nit-wit Englishman. Sari Maritza and Kent Taylor, the new Paramount find, play the romantic leads, while the irrepressible comical Roscoe Karns and Warren Hymer, complete the laugh sextette.

It's one of those delightful comedies that Paramount does so well, full of quips and sallies that prance side by side from start to finish. Joyously entertaining, you'll like the cast of screen experts and the manner in which they interpret the humour.

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA
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King's.
"The Squeaker."
Queen's.
"A Lady's Profession."
Central.
"Secrets of the French Police."
Oriental.
"The New Fox Follies."
World.
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Star.
"High Stakes."
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"Evenings for Sale."

COMING

King's.
"Marry Me."
"Painted Woman."
"Zoo in Budapest."
Queen's.
"Metro's Variety Programme."
"70,000 Witnesses."
"Hell Below."
"She Done Him Wrong."
World.
"Chinese Opposite Show."
"Reaching for the Moon."
Central.
"Lady with a Past."
"Half Naked Truth."
"Animal Kingdom."
Oriental.
"The Miracle of Goa."
"Half Shot at Sunrise."
Star.
"Fireman Save My Child."
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Such a card, one of the French Surete, was needed for the new RKO-Radio Picture, "Secrets of the French Police," Mrs. McGaffey explained. No attempt was made to secure the genuine identification form. Instead a cable was sent to the author of the story, H. Ashton-Wolfe, a known crime expert, supplied the studio with a synthetic design for the Surete card. But the real one always must remain secret.

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"MARRY ME" AT THE KING'S

RENATE MULLER AND GEORGE ROBERY

Those who have been hoping for another "Sunshine Susie" will find their wishes more than adequately met in "Marry Me," the new Renate Muller picture, which Wilhelm Thiele directed, and which will be shown at the King's Theatre, on Sunday.

It is an engaging story, the main venue being a gramophone factory and has the expert assistance of those three monarchs of laughter, Harry Green, George Robey, and Billy Caryland, of course, the charming Renate Muller herself, who is supported by Ian Hunter, Maurice Evans, Charles Hawtree, and Viola Lyel.

It is the story of a pretty gramophone recordist who is in love with a fellow employee (Ian Hunter). The young gentlemen, head of a bachelor household of three brothers, is slow to realise Renate's affection for him, and hankers after "a rich marriage." He is unaware that Renate has determined to "get her man," and that, having sought the advice of her "boss," she is about to bring her football strategy to bear upon her matrimonial aspirations. How she secures the elusive young gentleman at last; how she elicits the services of a matrimonial agency in bringing Romeo to heel, makes up a story that is as melodious as it is funny.

Woman," which opens at the King's Theatre shortly, with Spencer Tracy and Peggy Shannon in the leading roles.

The daring work of the native pearl divers, a thrilling undersea battle with a giant octopus and the tempestuous conflict of three men over the heart of one girl, who hated all men, are said to give the film its sensational flair of drama.

The strong cast which supports Tracy and Miss Shannon includes William (Stage) Boyd, Irving Pichel, Roubt Toulain, Herbert Mundin and Laska Winters. John Blystone directed the production.

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THE OLD CITY OF GOA

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Miss Jean Armstrong, who recently visited Macao and exhibited a film of the old Portuguese city of Goa, in Portuguese India, on the occasion of the last exhibition of the body of St. Francis Xavier, delivered two most interesting lectures to packed houses at the Capitol Theatre there on the 16th and 17th instant.

The subject of these addresses full of faith and gratitude to the Saint for the miraculous cure from a terrible illness that was torturing her for years, was the description of the pilgrimage to the tomb of St. Francis Xavier in Goa when the body was last exposed to the view. Hong Kong residents will have an opportunity of seeing this remarkable film to-morrow when it will be put on at a special screening at the Oriental Theatre.

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Chapter II.
(What has happened: Waiting for Tom Collier, young book publisher, Cecilia Henry, his fiancée, announces their engagement to Rufus, his father and Owen, friend and secret admirer. Rufus reveals his son's three year old "affair" with Daisy Sage, magazine illustrator. Upon Tom's arrival, Cecilia suggests he break with Daisy that evening.)

As Tom drove into New York to meet Daisy, he wondered how to approach the matter of his forthcoming marriage. It was difficult to have to tell her on her first night back, but of course it had to be done. He permitted his thoughts to dwell on his earlier relationship with Daisy. An intimate one—yes, and with memories to be treasured. Always fair, always loyal, Daisy had never attempted to tie him down. He knew he could count on her now, but he also knew he would hurt her. He wondered if he would have the nerve to do this to her. When Tom entered Daisy's apartment he found Joe and Franc, with Daisy, amid trunks and bags, in a scene of merry welcome. They greeted him with cries of cheer and Daisy flung her arms about him, begging him to "rescue" her from the prying questions of their friends. Finally Tom induced their two friends to leave him alone with Daisy. When they were gone, for the first time Daisy became serious. "We have lots to tell one another, haven't we? My heavy sledding ought to be over in a few weeks—by the first of June anyway. Have you much on the fire?"

Yes a great deal. The fact is—" Daisy interposed hurriedly. "Well, work night and day until June. Then come to Mexico for a month with Daisy. I'm dying to go. Because—oh, I feel like a fool, Tom—I think I can paint." Tom smiled. "There's nothing foolish in that, dear. I've known it was coming all along."

"Then you've been wrong, it's new—since these two months. But, as for the second thing..." Daisy hesitated before she resumed. "You know, suddenly I feel shy with you. And I don't like it a bit." Tom was just wondering if he should tell Daisy about Cecilia when Daisy asked as though she could read his mind. "What's wrong with us dear?" Come here to me, Tom approached and she took hold of his hand.

"There, that's better. Now I don't feel it so much. Well Tommy here, goes... You're a free man, you always have been with me. No questions asked. But, please, Mexico in June together, because... Now. On the boat, I saw the sweetest small boy about two—and I got crazy enough about him to want one badly. So, please marry me like you used to. say you wanted to and I wouldn't let you." Tom felt vastly uncomfortable.

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ECHOES OF 1858

THE FIGHT FOR ORDERED GOVERNMENT
IN HONG KONG

5.-Daily Press Editor
Criticizes The Budget

The first portion of a leading article dated April 24, 1858, was given in this column yesterday. Below we give the remainder of the article.

"Neither must it be imagined that the extravagant salaries complained of, by any means secure to government the exclusive services of the recipients. The reverse is the case, and the necessary consequence is, that transactions occur, illustrating that H.M. servants are quite as frail as other men when in search of filthy lucre. In every point of view the Chinese look upon the leading houses, as far as standing, respectability and integrity go, as being quite a grade above Government officers. In fact, it would be hard to convince the Chinese community of the entire execution of some Government officers, whose unfortunate and notorious connection with certain unscrupulous and dishonest natives, have caused their names to be continually referred to, as protecting by their influence their proteges from the punishment which the systematic perpetration of flagrant abuses merited.

It was not through the development of the resources of the Colony, or any advantages contained within itself, that caused the increase of Trade which has occurred since 1854. The causes were, first, the investment of Canton by the rebels, and second the troubles growing out of the Arrow's seizure. These causes are purely temporary, and upon their being removed, we cannot see why the Trade should be any larger than it was before. On the contrary we see more reasons, than one why it should be less. The extreme and well merited unpopularity of the Government, and the insatiable thirst it indulges in for legislation and taxation, combined with its utter ignorance of what the true interests of the Colony are, form reasons for leading us to the conclusion, that in the absence of fortuitous circumstances, and a good Government, it must sink to its former low level although we think it may last out the time of most of our present

over paid incumbents. A Government capable of exercising a sound discretion, or caring for the welfare of the Colony, would have adopted steps for the facility of commerce and shipping, which would have secured all the advantages of a depot for goods, a resort for shipping, and a secure neighbourhood for traders. Instead of creating offices for the sake of patronage, the money should have been spent in facilitating the discharge of ships so as to remedy the evil, which now exists of causing a ship's unloading to last as many weeks as it should days. Instead of making tiers of roads to the westward which few visited but the Governor, water pipes might have been laid all over the town. Instead of breeding strife, pampering to vanity and creating an useless expenditure by constructing a Praya (to be called the Bowring Praya) attempts should have been made and inducements held out for the construction of Docks. All such works exist in other ports—in no place are they more required than here, and we much doubt if any place can be pointed out where their construction can be so easily effected. Yet we positively assert, that upon one occasion, when two engineers came purposefully here with means at their command to establish a foundry, Sir John Bowring refused to sell them the land required,—and on another occasion, when a number of individuals actually purchased ground to construct docks, the smallest inducement or encouragement was withheld. Even now, any party constructing a deep water wharf, renders himself liable to be indicted for a nuisance.

To be sure the arraignment and condemnation of Mah Chow Wong has tended much to relieve the approaches of the harbour from the piratical hordes of whom he was the motive power. But it seems incredible even to ourselves that Sir John should have gone the lengths he did in secret efforts to screen the wretch—whilst H.E.'s acts, abandoned unwillingly but never relaxed, merely tended to the confirmation of guilt.

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4 p.m. Benediction of the Holy Sacrament.

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Holy Communion 8 a.m.
Holy Communion (Peak Church) 8 a.m.
Children's Service 10 a.m.
Choral Eucharist and Sermon 11 a.m. Preacher: The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Hong Kong.
Evening 6.30 p.m. Preacher: The Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Hong Kong.

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Mattins. Daily at 9 a.m.
Intercessions for the Sick, Wednesday at 10.15 a.m.
Holy Communion—St. Peter's Day, Thursday 29th, at 7.45 a.m.
Choir Practice. Friday at 8.30 p.m.

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8.15 a.m. Holy Communion.
10 a.m. Young People's Service and Primary Sunday School.
11 a.m. Morning Prayer and Sermon. Preacher—The Vicar.
3 p.m. Sunday School.
6 p.m. Musical Service and Address.
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2nd Lesson Hebrews selections.
Sermon—"The Secret of Power." Benediction.
National Anthem.
There will be a celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Communion after the morning Service.
Evening order by Rev. Leonard E. Hickin, B.Sc., 8.15 p.m.
Hymns No. 46, 411, 626, 260 and 238.
1st Lesson St. John Chapter 4 verses 5-9, 24-30, and 39-42.
2nd Lesson Acts, 16 verses 16-32.
Sermon—"Surety in to-day's uncertainty." Benediction.
Vesper.

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Tuesday, July 4, 1933.
Fellowship Meeting, 8 p.m.
Thursday July 6, 1933.
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Sunday School, 9.30 a.m.
Morning Service, 10.30 a.m.
Evening Service, 8 p.m.
Preacher at both Services—Rev. E. G. Powell.
The Holy Communion will be observed at the close of the morning service.

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Mass at 8 a.m. and 10 a.m. Cathedra at 3 p.m.

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7.30 a.m. Mass with sermon in Chinese, followed by Benedictions of the Blessed Sacrament.
9.30 High Mass with sermon in Chinese.

ENGLISH METHODIST CHURCH, WANCHAI.

(Opposite Royal Naval Hospital), Queen's Road, East.

2nd July, 1933.

Third Sunday after Trinity.

MORNING ORDER BY REV. LEONARD E. HICKIN, B.Sc. 10.15 a.m.

Hymn No. 23, Tune "Maryton" "Lord of all being, throned afar."

Prayer.
Hymn No. 268, Tune "Ravenshaw" "Lord, Thy word abideth."

1st Lesson St. Mark Chapter 6 verses 1-13 and 30-32.
Hymn No. 194, Tune "Melcombe" (65).

"My sufferings all to Thee are known."

2nd Lesson Hebrews selections.
Prayer.

Hymn No. 305, Tune "Irish" "Come O Thou all victorious Lord."

Sermon—"The Secret of Power." Hymn No. 317, Tune "Gainsworth." "Just as I am, without one plea."

Benediction.
National Anthem.

There will be a celebration of the Sacrament of Holy Communion after the morning Service.

EVENING ORDER BY REV. LEONARD E. HICKIN, B.Sc., 8.15 p.m.

Hymn No. 48, Tune "Castle Street" "Praise ye the Lord!"

Prayer.
Hymn No. 411, Tune "Trentham" "Jesus my Truth, my Way."

1st Lesson St. John Chapter 4 verses 5-9, 24-30, and 39-42.
Hymn No. 626, Tune "Nachtlied" "I dared not hope that Thou wouldst deign to come, and make this lowly heart of mine Thy home."

2nd Lesson Acts, 16 verses, 16-32.
Prayer.

Hymn No. 250, Tune "St. Chrysostom" (451).
"I want the Spirit of power within."

Sermon—"Surety in to-day's uncertainty." Hymn No. 239, Tune "Derbe" (900).
Benediction.
Vesper.

AT THE SAILORS' & SOLDIERS' HOME, WANCHAI.

Sunday, 2nd July, 1933.
Christian Social Hour, 7 p.m.

Monday, 3rd July, 1933.
Badminton Club Meets, 7 p.m.

Tuesday, 4th July, 1933.
Fellowship Meeting, 8 p.m.

Thursday, 6th July, 1933.
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ST. JOHN'S CATHEDRAL, Hong Kong.

JULY 2, 1933.—

3rd SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY.

Holy Communion, 8 a.m.

Holy Communion (Peak Church), 8 a.m.

Children's Service, 10 a.m.

Choral Eucharist and Sermon, 11 a.m.

Preacher—Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Hong Kong.

Evening, 6.30 p.m.

Preacher—Rt. Rev. the Bishop of Hong Kong.

Week Day Services.

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Sunday Service, 11.15 a.m.

Subject—"GOD."

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RUBBER MOORING BOUYS

R.A.F. EXPERIMENTS TO PREVENT DAMAGE.

The Royal Air Force is experimenting with rubber mooring-buoys for aeroplanes and flying-boats. The advantage of using rubber for this purpose is that its resilience prevents injury to the aircraft and the buoy itself when one fouls the other. Such accidents have been not uncommon in the past; at Calshot, for instance, aeroplanes have sometimes been damaged when the wash from a liner has drafted them against a buoy.

The new buoy has been designed by Messrs. Short Brothers, who build flying-boats and aeroplanes at Rochester, and is manufactured by a Silvertown firm. It is made of a spongy rubber, treated to withstand the action of salt water and tropical heat.

The results of tests, already made in home waters are stated to be satisfactory, and the Air Ministry has ordered a further supply for trial under tropical conditions in the East. The invention is also being adopted outside the R.A.F., and the Medway Conservancy has placed a large order for rubber buoys for the mooring of river craft.

The world is thronged to-day with those who have had no chance.—Dr. Cyril Norwood.

AT THE PENINSULA HOTEL

SUNDAY, 2nd JULY, 1933.

Commencing 8.45 p.m.

Programme

Part I

1. MARCH.....Stars and Stripes.....Bosco.
2. CELESTINE.....Orpheus in the Underworld.....Offenbach.
3. WALTZ.....Valse-Intermezzo.....Debussy.
4. SELECTION.....H. M. S. "Pinafore".....Gilbert & Sullivan.

INTERVAL

Part II

1. OVERTURE.....William Tell.....Rossini.
2. INVITATION TO THE DANCE.....Berlioz.
3. SERENADE.....Moszkowski.
4. SELECTION FROM THE NEW MOON.....Berg.

INTERVAL

Part III

1. WALTZ.....Jolly Fellows.....Vollestad.
2. ALBUMEN (Album Leaf).....Wagner.
3. ANDERSEN.....Suite II.....Biscl.

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- (b) Intermezzo
- (c) Menuet
- (d) Fandango

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THE TYPHOON

Passes Close to the Colony

HEAVY RAINFALL REGISTERED

The typhoon which threatened the Colony on Thursday has missed us and disappeared inland, well to the South. The week-end, however, does not look promising and squally weather is expected for a day or so.

The gratifying feature about the typhoon is the heavy rains that accompanied it and as a result of the heavy downpour, the water restrictions in the Colony have been removed.

In his report on the typhoon, the Director of the Royal Observatory, Mr. C. W. Jeffries states that pressure over the China Sea has been low since June 21 and the depression probably commenced near Paritels on June 26.

It followed a northerly track and entered the coast to the west of Macao on Thursday morning, where in combination with the low pressure over South China it produced the high winds and the rains experienced since Thursday afternoon. Yesterday morning the typhoon was about eighty miles to the N.E. of Hong Kong, moving N.E. or filling up.

The track of the disturbance was unusual and it was not at first expected to pass so close to the Colony.

Maximum Wind 66 m.p.h.

The wind reached gale force from the South-West at Gup Rock at 2 p.m. on Thursday and continued until 7 a.m. yesterday.

At the Royal Observatory, the wind, was from the S.S.W. with a force varying from three to seven. Beaufort Scale. Several gusts exceeded 50 miles an hour, the highest of these being 60 m.p.h. at 7.10 p.m. and 57 m.p.h. at 2.10 a.m.

The barometer fell to 29.39 at 10 p.m. a fall of only .13 in the previous twenty-four hours.

The rainfall registered at the Observatory was 3.32 inches in the 24 hours ended at 10.30 a.m. yesterday.

Several incidents caused by the typhoon have been reported to the Police. A harbour junk, No. 2122V while scurrying to Yau-mai Shelter, was caught, when half-way from Kennedy Town, by a sudden gust of wind and it heeled over.

No. 5 Police launch which with other Government craft was engaged in herding small harbour craft into shelter, drew up alongside and took off the crew. The waterlogged junk which was saved from sinking by its buoyancy, was safely towed into the Yau-mai breakwater.

A sampans left moored at the Kowloon Naval depot broke its painter and drifted out. A second, which was also left to shelter at Stonecutters, was blown out to sea. Both craft which were deserted by the occupants, have not been seen since.

A number of minor landslides were reported, but none of them either on the Island or on the Mainland are at all serious, a rock slipped down a recent cutting on the Tai-po Road near Kowloon Water Works, but caused no damage.

A coolie who held a piece of matting over his head to protect himself from the rain, failed to notice the approach of a taxi and was injured. He was admitted to hospital.

CHINA AS JAPAN'S ALLY

ARAKI VISUALISES UNITED FRONT AGAINST THE WORLD

The Kobe *Shimbu* says that the military authorities and a section of the Foreign Office regard with disfavour the gradual reversion of the country's foreign policy to the former subservience to Western Powers, drifting more and more from the principle of initiative diplomacy, laid down at the time of Japan's withdrawal from the League of Nations. This tendency has been more marked, they think, since the World Economic Conference opened.

It is all very well for the Japanese Government to strive for cooperation with Western Powers, but the cultivation of friendship between Japan, Manchukuo and China is far more urgent, and important. In their opinion this is a time for Japan to devote her attention to constructive work in Manchukuo and to the disillusionment of the Chinese people of their over-confidence in Western Powers, so as to hasten a rapprochement with this country. To this end, Japan must put forth every endeavour to remove obstacles to the common interests and prosperity with China, instead of confining herself to lip-service to Sino-Japanese friendship. She must tread this course vigorously even with the conclusion of an offensive and defensive Alliance with China as the final objective.

This point of view, the voracious paper says, will be laid before the Cabinet Council shortly by General Araki, Minister for War.

TROUBLES IN A KOWLOON FLAT

PROPRIETOR OF THE DAVID CAFE COMPLAINS OF ASSAULT

LIVELY PASSAGES WITH DEFENDING COUNSEL

Charles North, proprietor of the David Cafe, Kowloon, appeared before Mr. Butters at Kowloon Magistracy yesterday as complainant in a case in which David Gabriller, I. Greenburg and Chau Mook were accused of having assaulted him at No. 15, Hankow Street on June 12.

A cross-summons was brought against Mr. North by Chau Mook, Mr. O.E.C. Marton, of Messrs. Deacons, outlined the case for the prosecution. He said that on March 28 Mr. North bought the David Cafe from the defendant Gabriller. The latter continued to reside in the flat above the place, however, and for some reason unknown to Mr. North, seemed to be continually doing his best to aggravate him. Not desiring to have trouble Mr. North did not take action, but this continued and on 12th inst. an incident occurred which left Mr. North no alternative but to take the matter up.

On the night of the 12th, Mr. North was on duty at the cafe and thought he would go up to the roof to see about some furniture which had been put there. There were two ways up, one by the front stair-case and one by the back. Mr. North chose the latter. When he got to the landing opposite the door of the kitchen in first defendant's flat he saw the third defendant sleeping on a camp-bed. Complainant tapped him lightly on the shoulder, requested him to move from the place, and told him he could not sleep there. Upon this Chau Mook quietly got up and removed his bed. Mr. North went on to the roof and stayed there about fifteen minutes. When he descended he was surprised to see the third defendant in exactly the same position as when he went up.

Mr. North again accosted him whereupon without the slightest hesitation the man grabbed him by the wrist and attacked him. At the same time the door of the kitchen opened and the other two defendants rushed out set upon the complainant. All three hit him and Mr. North shouted for help. He was badly injured and went to be treated by Dr. V. N. Atienza, who examined him and found a cut across his face, about 1 1/2 inches long, and bruises on his chest and his right knee.

Complainant's Evidence.

Mr. Marton then put his client in the box, and Mr. North corroborated his solicitor's statements, adding that the man who first attacked him was a cook previously employed by him, and who had been discharged by him some while ago.

Questioned by Mr. Marton complainant said he actually saw the defendants hit him. The last thing he heard was the first defendant saying, "Take him inside." After that he lost consciousness and the next thing he knew was when the police arrived and he saw Sgt. Smith standing at the door leading to the kitchen. Behind him was the second defendant. Mrs. Gabriller was also there, shouting that he, complainant was drunk.

Mr. Marton: "Mrs. Gabriller said you were drunk—in point of fact were you?"

Complainant: Not at all.

"Had you had a drink?"

Yes, between 8.30 and 10 I had two Vermouths.

Nothing else.—No.

There was no question then that at 11.30 you were sober.—Undoubtedly not!

Then Mrs. Gabriller was mistaken?—Yes!

Severe Cross-examination.

In cross-examination Mr. Sin put it to Mr. North that Gabriller, the first defendant had been very kind to him before.

Witness: What do you mean by kind?

Mr. Sin: He literally picked you out of the street?—No; not at all.

Mr. Sin: On the night in question you went to see about some furniture on your roof?—Yes.

Don't you think that it was a very queer time to choose for such a task, especially as you have told the court that the stuff wasn't of much value?—No.

I put it to you that you went upstairs accompanied by a lady?—No!

I put it to you that you were too drunk to know whether you went up alone or not.—No.

You knew you were alone?—Yes.

When you reached the place where the third defendant was, on your return from the roof, you were annoyed to see him there?—A little.

You thereupon gave him a few blows on his right ear?—That is a lie; an absolute lie.

Like a peaceable man you simply asked him to clear out, and when attacked made no attempt to defend yourself?—I could do nothing.

I put it to you, now, Mr. North, that all you have told the Court about being struck was lies, inventions and fabrications.—I protest!

You are not a liar?—No.

You call yourself a gentleman?—Yes.

You call yourself a gentleman and you lay hands on an old man.—I deny that entirely.

Mr. Marton objected to Mr. Sin's question, but was over-ruled.

Mr. Sin (to witness): When you were inflicting blows on the third defendant, he screamed?

Mr. Marton: I object to the question. My client has not admitted that at all.

Mr. Sin: I am putting my questions correctly and I can conduct my case without interference from my friend.

Mr. Sin asked witness if he had no appetite for liquor—if you wanted to, could you have consumed a lot?—Perhaps.

I put it to you that you have tried before?—"Funny question," remarked witness. (Laughter).

Pressed by Mr. Sin, witness refused to answer.

Mr. Sin again asked him if he was drunk that night.

Witness said he was not, and if people asserted he was, they lied.

Everyone Excited.

Sgt. Smith was then called, said that at five minutes to twelve the No. 2 boy employed at the David Cafe told him that fighting was going on there. He left the station to enquire into the matter.

On his way out he met the first defendant who told him that Mr. North had assaulted his cook.

When he got to the place he found complainant on the floor. He was bleeding, but only a little, as if a pimple on his cheek had been scratched.

Mr. Peter Sin, who was acting on behalf of the defendants, asked the officer if in his opinion, Mr. North looked excited when he got to the house. Sgt. Smith said he thought everybody there was in a state of excitement.

Mr. Sin: "In your opinion would you say complainant had been drunk?"

Sgt. Smith: I should say he had been drinking.

On being asked by Mr. Marton as to whether he based his opinion that Mr. North had been the worse for drink on the condition in which he found him, Sgt. Smith said, "No. His condition might have been caused by an injury which had dazed him."

Mr. Marton: "That is the whole point."

Dr. Atienza said that complainant's injuries were all of a superficial character and might have been caused by any blunt instrument. They might possibly have caused unconsciousness.

Mr. Jethenamb, the proprietor of a silk store next door to the cafe gave evidence which was in support of Mr. North's case.

Mr. Peter Sin then asked His Worship if he could leave his cross-examination of witness till the next sitting as the hour was getting late. He also asked the Magistrate if he could arrange to go to the scene of the incident, that being the best way in which His Worship could get the topography of the place.

Mr. Butters agreed to have a look at the flat and fixed the next hearing of the case provisionally for Tuesday.

TOO LATE FOR ECLIPSE OF THE SUN!

PURPLE MOUNTAIN OBSERVATORY NEARS COMPLETION

NANKING, June 23.—An eclipse of the sun is predicted for August 27 and will be visible in all the 26 provinces of China, it was announced by the Central Observatory to-day.

The new observatory on the Purple Mountain here is fast nearing completion. All installations are expected to be ready by next September, it is stated.

The new observatory was built at a cost of \$400,000. The scientific instruments alone involved an expenditure of 120,000 gold marks or about \$130,000; they were supplied and installed by the well-known Zeiss Works of Germany.—Kuo Min.

THE REV. A. D. STEWART

Headmaster of St. Pauls Leaving on July 10

TRIBUTE TO A FINE RECORD

The Rev. A. D. Stewart, Headmaster of St. Paul's College, will be shortly leaving the Colony, and in view of his close connection with many Religious and Educational Institutions in Hong Kong and elsewhere during the past 25 years, the following account contributed by a reader who has known him for many years, will be of exceptional interest. His many friends will wish him many years of useful work in England. Already preparations are afoot, headed by the Old Boys and present students of St. Paul's College, to arrange farewell parties and presentations, and it looks as if he is going to have a busy time before his departure.

Thirty Two Year in Colony. The Reverend Arthur Didley Stewart, was born in Foochow, China, in October 1877, and educated at Haileybury College and Trinity College, Cambridge, where he obtained his M.A. Degree.

In 1901 he was ordained deacon and appointed Curate to St. Paul's Church, N. Islington. In 1902 he was made priest. Three years later, while serving with the Church Missionary Society, London, he joined St. Stephen's Boys' College (now occupying a prominent site at Stanley). He soon distinguished himself as an able and efficient instructor, patient, sympathetic and kindly, much loved and respected by all his students.

He is a worthy son of two martyrs, Robert and Louisa Stewart. At Hwasang Mountain Village, 14 miles away from Kuching, a Church Missionary Society Centre at the North of Foochow, in the days of the Chinese Empire, some thirty years ago, there sprang up a host of farm-rebels, defying Law and Order. They persecuted and massacred members of the Christian faith, and among those they killed were the late Reverend Robert Stewart (a well-known lawyer in Ireland who gave up his profession to take orders) his wife, Louisa, and two of their children, Hilda and Herbert. That was on the August 1, 1895. It was a supreme sacrifice which remains indelibly written on the mind and memory of every Chinese Christian.

A Worthy Son.

That the Rev. A. D. Stewart is no less eminent than his father is undeniable. To all who know him, he has always been an object of admiration, a man of courage and decision, with a vigorous mind and of blameless life. To portray him the following quotation from the Confucian Analects describing a "Superior Man" (Kwun Tze) is appropriate:

"Looked at from a distance, he appears stern; when approached, he is mild; when he is heard to speak, his language is firm and decided."

Growth of New College.

It was he who nursed and nurtured an infant Anglo-Chinese Boys' School, consisting of only 16 boys, when it was opened on February 5, 1908, and he has brought it up to be a strong and growing educational institution—the present St. Paul's College—which has had as many as 400 students within its walls. It is almost impossible to try and gauge the result of his continuous labours. One can quote, however, from his speech made on October 28, 1911, at the "Opening Function of the College Extension":

"We desire to send forth scholars and athletes, it is true, but beyond all, we aspire to send out men of upright, sterling character."

"Our greatest aspiration is that by a daily study of the Great Ideal, there may be fashioned in every boy's heart something of that noble character which has won the admiration of the world. Then may we well expect them to be good citizens."

His activities were spread beyond the precincts of St. Paul's College and they include the founding and maintaining of Free Schools for the poor at different places, namely: Wok Tsin Fu Village and Sin Chuen (Tsang Shing District, Sin River) 1912; Shek Ki (1912); St. Paul's Junior School, Hollywood Road and Yau-mai (1914); Aberdeen (1915); The Free Night School at St. Paul's College (1916); and Tai Hang (1916).

Nor was St. Paul's Girls' School neglected. It opened in 1915 with Mr. Stewart as Chairman of the School Council and Miss M. Stewart (now Mrs. F. W. L. Martin) as Headmistress. (1916-1917) and Miss F. C. Woo, her successor. In 1920, the school had to undergo certain changes and was eventually re-organized under the new name of St. Paul's Girls' College, having still Miss F. C. Woo, M.B.E., as Principal.

Additions to College.

The Rev. A. D. Stewart was also mainly instrumental in bringing about extensive additions to his College. They are, for instance, (Continued on next column)

VALIDITY OF A PASSPORT

YOUNG FRENCHMAN REMANDED

Pierre Henry Agostini, aged 27 years, described as a mercantile assistant, was charged before Mr. Wynne-Jones yesterday with entering Hong Kong without a passport. Defendant claimed that he was unaware that the passport which he possessed was not valid.

The Magistrate pointed out that the passport was only good for one voyage, on October 23, 1930.

Defendant said he had never been told that it was only for one voyage. He had just arrived from Canton and had been working with a British firm, but could not come to terms. He wished to return to Canton to make a claim before the British Consul. His passport had been issued by the Canton Public Safety Bureau.

It was pointed out that the visa was for Swatow, Amoy and Foo-chow.

Defendant was remanded on bail of \$250.

MARECHAL JOFFRE

NEW M.M. MOTOR SHIP IN SINGAPORE

Singapore, June 32.—The Marechal Joffre, the latest addition to the Messageries Maritimes fleet of vessels on the Far Eastern passenger service, arrived in Singapore on her maiden voyage yesterday morning en route from Marseilles to Saigon. She is the second of a number of motor ships which the M.M. are building for the Indo-China run.

She was launched at La Ciotat on January 22, 1933, and she has been built with special attention to comfort of its passengers. The interior decoration is in the modernistic style, but has been kept in very agreeable, soft tones. Various souvenirs and paintings of Marshal Joffre have been distributed in the salons, halls and other compartments of the ship, executed by M. Georges Le Roux, M. Deleumoz and other eminent French decorative artists.

The New College Chapel (1911), known as St. Paul's Church, lent to the Chung Hua Shing Kung Hui for Divine Worship. The reconstructed West Wing of the Old School Building (1913); The New School Gymnasium (1917); and St. Paul's Hostel (1919).

The Hostel was originally in rented quarters and later, in 1914, in premises of his, rent-free. In 1916, to accommodate more boarders, a larger building at Caine Road was bought, again for the same purpose. This was subsequently sold to acquire the present hostel in 1919.

In his Annual Report for 1919, Mr. Stewart said: "God grant that advance be not merely a bricks and mortar but in increased usefulness and service." He had been, in no small degree, responsible for raising substantial funds for the various Great Flood Reliefs in North China. Incidentally, it is an open secret that there are many whom he has helped, encouraged and educated, to extend their spheres of usefulness and service. Amongst these chosen few, one may, with a deep sense of appreciation, name just one, the late Rev. Tso See Kai, B.A. (Durham)—sometimes Vicar of St. Paul's Church, Hongkong—for whose education in England from 1922 to 1927 Mr. Stewart undertook to be fully responsible, but who, unfortunately, passed away in 1928, shortly after his return to the Colony.

Fluent Chinese Scholar.

The Rev. A. D. Stewart is a man not of the past age of individualism but of the new era of sharing, giving, serving and co-operating. The Rev. A. D. Stewart is a fluent Chinese Scholar. Besides serving on other Educational and Religious Committees, he has been a member of the local Board of Education, since 1925. For several years prior to 1920, he acted as Vicar of St. Paul's Church, Hong Kong. In 1917, he was Acting Warden of St. Stephen's College. He is Assistant Chaplain of St. John's Cathedral as well as Officiating Chaplain of the Force.

He is leaving on the July 10, 1933, for England to join Mrs. Stewart and their three children, and there to take up his new duties as Incumbent of Lynddown Church (New-Barnet), a living which has recently been vacated by his father-in-law, Dr. G. Lander, Bishop of Victoria 1911-1916.

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THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE ADJOURNS

Despite President Roosevelt's warning that American economic co-operation with Europe must be based on the assumption of a disarmed Europe, the Disarmament Conference has adjourned till the middle of October. While it is quite true that the business of the Economic Conference clashes with that of the older assembly and absorbs the full attention of the leading statesmen of the participating Powers, the fact remains that since February, when the Conference opened, nothing tangible has been achieved. The problem in fact seems to grow in complexity, and the wonder was that, battleship competition was more or less eliminated by the Washington Pact of 1923, that ratios of strength between the leading naval Powers were settled, and that even as late as 1930 Britain, Japan and the United States were able to reduce capital ships still further and also to settle their respective totals of cruisers, destroyers and submarines. In the matter of Land and Air Forces nothing has been accomplished. Even conscription remains in force in France, Italy and a number of minor European Powers. The fact is that any agreement can be very largely circumvented. For instance Japan is building a number of warships ostensibly for a South American Power! Fear of neighbouring nations is at the root of the desire for armaments. To a certain degree that fear is being slowly eliminated. To an American the

CANTON NOTES

More Local Industries in Trouble

MAKING OF ELECTRIC TORCHES

(From Our Own Correspondent).

Canton, June 30. — Another local industry is stated to be facing difficulties. This is the electric torch manufacturing business, which has been established in the city for several years. As in many other new industries, there was a period of phenomenal success in the initial stages, with the result that too many factories began to be put up. Competition is one of the factors contributing towards the present plight. Another reason, perhaps the most important one, is stated to be the fact that the boycott against Japanese goods has deprived manufacturers of the supply of cheap materials with the result that cost of production has greatly increased.

Following the example of the native kerosene oil distillers, the torch manufacturers are also taking joint action and addressing an appeal to the authorities for protective measures to be made for their industry. It is understood one of the proposals submitted by these manufacturers is that no new factory should be allowed to be established in Canton city for the next five years. Exemption from miscellaneous taxes is also asked for for the local products.

Fire Crackers.

The depression in the fire cracker business in Canton is of course not of recent date. While fire-crackers used to be one of the principal commodities exported from the city, in late years much of the business has been transferred to Hong Kong and Macao. But the position is now made worse by the increasing restrictions on the product in the countries which are the chief consumers. The bad state of affairs is reflected in the fact that when the local authorities invited not very long ago tenders from intending farmers for the tax on the manufacture of fire crackers in different parts of the province, no response was received. The Government will now have to open their own collection offices.

Neonlite Sign-Boards.

The conservatism of Chinese merchants is gradually giving way to modern business methods and growing importance is, for instance, being now attached to advertisements. Just now, neonlite advertisements are extremely popular in the city, and are being fitted by merchants in all parts of Canton. Already three firms have been established for the manufacture of these signs and all the three houses have their hands fully occupied with the many orders received.

Customs Officers On Trains.

The Canton-Kowloon Railway Administration is reported to be making a request to the Ministry of Railways for the discontinuance of the sending of Customs officials and searchers on board the trains, as ample provision has been made against smuggling activities by the large staff of Customs officers on duty at the Kowloon Station. It is feared that as passengers' luggage has already been thoroughly examined at Kowloon Station, the additional examination on the trains would not be appreciated by the travelling public, and this might affect the passenger traffic.

CORRESPONDENCE

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(TO THE EDITOR OF THE "HONG KONG DAILY PRESS.")

THE UNITED STATES TRADE COMMISSIONER

SIR,—It may be of interest to your readers to know that the Office of the United States Trade Commissioner in Hong Kong was closed yesterday and that, beginning to-day, this Consulate General will be prepared to transact all business in regard to trade matters.—Yours faithfully,
DOUGLAS JENKINS,
Consul General,
American Consular Service,
Hong Kong, June 30, 1933.

CHINESE FLIER HELD UP

BANAR, June 30. — Chinese flier, Hsueh-tung (otherwise Sun), who is flying from Berlin to Nanking, is held up at Shaibah by stormy weather. Reuter.

SOVIET AMBASSADOR IN PEIPING

PEIPING, June 30. — The Soviet Ambassador, M. Bogdanoff, arrived from Nanking by train this morning. Reuter.

★ News and Views ★

Fears May Be Liars.

Fear of sea-sickness kept Mr. Walter C. Artz at home for seventy years.

Mr. Artz has just crossed the Atlantic from New York. "I just could not face it," said Mr. Artz, who is now in London, "but I had to come—and I was about the only man in the boat who was not sick."

More Bottomley Stories.

The death of Horatio Bottomley has called forth a host of anecdotes about various phases of his career.

Bottomley served his time at Wormwood Scrubs and Maidstone. But even in his adversity his resources did not fail him. Soon after his arrival in prison he was served with a demand for £16,000 for super-tax!

Even the seven years sentence did not crush Bottomley's spirit. While he was in gaol he met an old financier friend who had spent a fortune on horses and who was now clipping some grass in the prison grounds, and Bottomley exclaimed "Ah, still on the turf."

Another prison story was about the visitor who saw Bottomley stitching mail-bags and said, "Sewing, Bottomley?" And Bottomley's answer was, "No, reaping."

Theatrical Production That Was a Flop!

Just a hundred years ago there took place in Singapore the first amateur theatrical production. It was held in a theatre which existed then in Cross Street, Telok Ayer, but it was a "flop."

To-day, in the grounds of Oldham Hall, the Methodist boarding school just near the junction of Dumore Road and Chancery Lane, there is being carried out the most elaborate amateur theatrical project ever known in Singapore. "The Scene-shifters," who are perhaps the newest company to take the amateur stage are building an open air theatre at their own expense, and they mean to see to it that their first production, scheduled for July 1, shall not be a "flop."

The Scene-shifters were organised in January of this year, and they gave their first production in the hall of the Y.M.C.A. in February. It was very successful, but just after the police came upon the scene and pointed out that no more such functions could take place in the hall there, as there was no licence for theatrical performances. When steps were taken to obtain one, it was found that the building did not conform to the requirements of the Municipality and the fire brigade, and no licence was forthcoming.

A Chance Missed!

Mr. De Valera recently paid a visit to Vesuvius, and is said to have spent some seven hours examining its volcanic activities.

The very next day Vesuvius went into eruption and ever since it has been giving a "certain liveliness."

The only explanation is that the President of the Free State occupied his time in an endeavour to induce the volcano to abolish its oath of allegiance to Italy, and that the fiery outburst was really an indignant declaration by Vesuvius of its preference for Rome Rule. But it was a little slow in making its reply.

Local and General

One case of typhoid and one of Meningitis were notified in the Colony yesterday.

A constant supply of water will be given in all districts of Hong Kong and Kowloon as from to-day.

Sir Frank and Lady Maze were among the passengers arriving here yesterday from Shanghai, by the a.s. Mantua.

The American Community in Hong Kong will be "at home" to friends at the American Club on the Fourth of July from noon to 1:30 p.m.

The Sincere Co., Ltd., announce that from to-day, their main store will close daily at 8 p.m. instead of 8:30 p.m. as hitherto.

The Wing On Co., Ltd. announce that, commencing from to-day (July 1) and until further notice, their business hours will be 9 a.m. to 8 p.m. on week days and 12 noon to 8 p.m. on Sundays.

The new metric system of weights and measures is to be introduced this year in Kiangsu in two stages. According to a decision of the Provincial Government in the 35 districts the system is to be in operation by the end of October.

The driver of a China Motor Bus Company vehicle on the Aberdeen route, was fined \$5 for failing to display a destination board. The conductor was fined \$5 for carrying eight passengers in excess of the number allowed.

To-day being a general holiday, the General Post Office will be open only from 9 a.m. to noon, and there will be one collection and one delivery. The Money Order Office will be closed.

The 12th Term Grading Function of the Chung Shing Typewriting Academy will take place at the Gloucester Restaurant on Saturday, July 8, 1933, at 2:30 p.m. The certificates and prizes will be distributed by the Hon. Director, Mr. Chan Lim Pat.

SUMMARY OF NEWS

Locals.

The hearing of an assault case was begun at Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday, when Charles North, proprietor of the David Cafe in Kowloon, summoned two other Europeans and one Chinese for attacking him. The case was adjourned provisionally till Tuesday.

A full supply of water to all parts of the Colony will be given from to-day.

An appreciation of the work of the Rev. A. D. Stewart, Headmaster of St. Paul's School, who is going home this month, appear on page 7.

Our Kowloon correspondent describes the fine forestry and farming experiments, conducted some years ago by Mr. Tse on his estate.

Under the heading, Echoes of 1933, will be found a continuation of the criticism by the Daily Press of that day of the Government's Budget for the year. Page 6.

ANOTHER SUCCESS FOR FENG

Paochang Captured from Superior Forces

CANTON, June 30. — According to a report from General Feng Yu Hsiang, commander-in-chief of the People's Anti-Japanese Allied Forces, Paochang, another city in central China, has been captured by his forces from the Japanese-Manchukuo forces.

Kuyuen was captured in the early part of the week by General Feng's forces, and Paochang is about sixty miles northwest of Kuyuen.

The report states that newspapers in North China are forbidden to publish this dispatch and requests this military success should be made known as widely as possible.

It was learned that, upon receipt of news of General Feng's victory, the Southwest Political Council sent a telegram to the General at Kalgan highly commending him for his patriotic and courageous stand. This military success is all the more praiseworthy in view of superior equipment and bigger forces of the Japanese-Manchukuo forces.

The South-West Political Council is said to be raising money and other assistance to the People's Anti-Japanese Forces. — Central Press.

YANGTZE LEVEL LOWER

Flood Fear Now Abating

NANKING, June 30. — THE FEAR of a repetition of the flood disaster of 1931 is at present easing, following the receipt of information from Hankow and other points up river that the level of the Yangtze is becoming lower. — Reuter.

SLIGHT REVISIONS TO BE MADE

NANKING, June 30. — THE Legislative Yuan in a private meeting discussed the report of the committee appointed to examine the new tariff schedule and it is understood that the committee suggests some slight revisions. — Reuter.

TAX ON FUEL OIL

ORDER FOR DIESEL SHIP CANCELLED

Coast Lines Limited, of London and Liverpool, notified the cancellation of their order for a new 1,400-ton Diesel-engine ship, which was placed recently with Messrs. Henry Robb, of Leith. The ship would have been the biggest Diesel-engine ship built for the British coasting line trade.

The cancellation is stated to be due to the new tax of 1s. a gallon on heavy oil, which is equivalent to about 21s. a ton in the case of fuel oil, and which would have added 40 per cent. or more to the fuel costs of the new ship.

An official of Coast Lines Limited said they very much regretted that they had been compelled to take this action, but it was impossible for coasting companies to embark upon the building of these most efficient and up-to-date ships if they were to be subjected to penal taxation.

An representative of the ship-building company said that the firm had been depending upon the order to provide work for their men during the summer months, and the cancellation was therefore very serious.

The cancellation of an order for a 450-ton motor vessel placed with the Ardrossan Dockyard Company was announced recently.

Overhearing a conversation in which several Chinese were speaking about a bangle, a detective arrested one man and through him traced a second and a third man who were concerned in the theft of a gold and rattan bangle valued at \$4 from a child of three years. The principal culprit was sentenced to six months' hard labour and twelve strokes with the birch. The other two were discharged. The Magistrate commended the detective for his smart piece of work.

Two young men who are believed to be the biggest and smallest conscripts in France have just appeared together before the recruiting council of Albion in the Tarn department. One, who is aged twenty weights, got stone, and a second, who is only 100 lbs., got a 40-lb. stone. There is furthermore, no kind of ordinary military duty which would sort well with his bulk. The council decided that there was so much of him that the Army could not use him at all. It also decided not to acquire the smallest conscript. He is 4ft. 6in. in height and weighs only 41 stones.

Dr. DOLFUSS VISITS INNSBRUCK

Despite Nazi Warning Of Trouble

VIENNA, June 30. A crowd of 15,000 wildly cheered the Austrian Chancellor, Dr. Dolfuss, on his arrival at Innsbruck, the Austrian Nazi stronghold, in defiance of warnings of trouble. Special precautions were taken to prevent an attempt on his life. Railway passengers and motorists travelling to the city were carefully scrutinised by the police. —Reuter.

LOAN TO AUSTRIA

RUGBY, June 30. Asked in the House of Commons yesterday whether, in the recent conversations with the Austrian Chancellor, Dr. Dolfuss, the question of making or guaranteeing the new loan was discussed, the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, said that in the course of the conversations, reference was made to a loan provided for in the protocol of July, 1932, and the Austrian Loan Guarantee Act, which it was hoped to issue at an early date in London and Paris and the other capitals concerned. —British Wireless Service.

LANCASHIRE TRADE WITH INDIA

CO-OPERATION ADVISED BY MR. BALDWIN

LONDON, June 29. LANCASHIRE and India should come together in friendly co-operation and try to make a friendly agreement, advised the Lord President of the Council, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, in a speech at Manchester yesterday, defending the British Government's India proposals. Referring to tariffs, he said that some of the measures suggested, to which, Lancashire people had been asked to give support, were calculated to destroy any possibility of goodwill between Lancashire and India. He did not believe that the national boycott could be broken by force. —Reuter.

RUBBER REDUCTION PROPOSALS

DUTCH MERCHANTS IN LONDON

LONDON, June 30. THE rubber restriction proposals lend an additional interest to the arrival at Croydon by air, yesterday evening, of the prominent Dutch rubber merchants M. van Leeuwen and M. van Enthoven. In an interview with Reuter they said that they would stay a few days in London to see the World Economic Conference. They would also visit Dr. Colijn, the Dutch Premier and leader of the Dutch delegation to the Conference, and find out what the Dutch delegates were doing. In addition, they would have conversations with several people. —Reuter.

THE EMPRESS OF JAPAN

TOKYO, June 30. IT is officially announced that the Empress of Japan is en route. —Reuter.

JAPANESE EVACUATED DISTRICTS

OUTLOOK MORE CHEERFUL

PEIPING, June 29. FOLLOWING a conference the Peiping Political Council, the Peiping Branch of the Military Council and the Hebei Provincial Government organised a joint commission to take over the districts which the Japanese will evacuate. The Commission consists of seven members, with Mr. Yu Hsueh Chung as Chairman, and will be formally inaugurated in Tientsin on Saturday, July 1. Chinese official circles here are now more hopeful regarding settlement of the question of Manchukuo irregulars, negotiations in connection with this question are proceeding smoothly. It is stated that the Chinese authorities propose to incorporate 3,000 troops under Li Chi Chun into the special police force and station them at Fengyun, to the North of Tongshan and Li Chi Chun's native district. As Li has been demanding the incorporation of all his men, variously estimated from 10,000 to 20,000, it remains to be seen whether the present proposal is acceptable to Li. —Reuter.

HERR HUGENBERG RESIGNS

New Appointments Made

LONDON, June 30. PRESIDENT Hindenburg has accepted Herr Hugenberg's resignation and has appointed Herr Kurt Schmitt Minister of Economics, and Herr Walter Darré as Minister of Food. Herr Hugenberg's resignation follows the banning of the Party of National Front. —Reuter.

THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

POSTPONED TILL OCTOBER 15

LONDON, June 29. THE GENERAL commission of the Disarmament Conference yesterday passed a motion adjourning the Conference until October 16. Germany alone opposed the motion, although Hungary abstained from voting. Delegates of Britain, France and Italy promised their respective Governments' collaboration in the negotiations which the President of the Conference Mr. Arthur Henderson, is to conduct in various capitals during the adjournment. In the House of Commons yesterday, the Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, referring to this Conference, said it was the intention of the British Government to facilitate by all means in their power, the resolute prosecution of the work remaining to be done. He hoped that, as proposed by the President of the Conference, the conversations under his guidance between the interested Powers would take place during the interval. —British Wireless Service.

Litvinoff And Simon

LONDON, June 30. M. LITVINOFF MET Sir John Simon for the third time at the Foreign Office when a communique was issued stating that "progress was in the making but the matter is not yet complete and another early meeting is expected." —Reuter.

MOUNT EVEREST EXPEDITION

CLIMB POSTPONED FOR THE PRESENT

LONDON, June 29. GENERAL BRUCE, Chairman of the committee which has decided to recall the Mount Everest Expedition, stated that the weather had been so bad that there would be little chance of the expedition being successful. "That does not mean that we have given up hopes of finally getting there," he said. "The struggle still goes on but for the moment the mountain has won against man and his machine." He added it was not possible yet to say when the new start would be made. It was always a question of weather with Mount Everest, but next time they might get a better season. The members of the expedition, he said, had made a splendid fight. —British Wireless Service. [The expedition, led by Mr. Hugh Rutledge, comprises 14 men. A decision to abandon the assault on the peak was on June 22. It was anticipated that an attempt would be made in the Autumn.]

MR. T. V. SOONG IN LONDON

AUDIENCE WITH KING ON SATURDAY

LONDON, June 30. HIS MAJESTY the King will receive the Chinese Finance Minister and leader of the Chinese delegation to the World Economic Conference, Mr. T. V. Soong on Saturday, at Buckingham Palace. —Reuter.

THE MANCHUKUO IRREGULARS

PEIPING, June 29. COL NAGATSU of the Japanese Legation has returned from Changchun and will communicate the results of his interview with General Muto regarding the disposition of the Manchukuo irregulars to the Chinese authorities today. The Chinese authorities had originally decided to send two delegates to Dairen to negotiate with the Kwantung Army authorities on this question, but this plan may be altered with the return of Col. Nagatsu. The Commission to take over the Lianung district includes General Hsueh Chi Heng, former Chief of Police in Peiping and a personal friend of Li Chi Chun who has been very active in trying to mediate between the Chinese authorities and the Commander of the Manchukuo irregulars. —Reuter.

POSER AT THE CONFERENCE

TO ADJOURN OR NOT TO ADJOURN?

All Eyes On Britain And The United States

Silver Question Provides Another Deadlock

LONDON, June 30. "To adjourn or not to adjourn?" was the question in the minds of the delegates as they assembled this morning. The lobbies were early astir with anxious groups awaiting the outcome of the fateful meeting of European gold countries to discuss the draft resolution to be presented to Britain and the United States.

No Discussion!

LONDON, June 30. It is understood that the United States Assistant Secretary of State, Professor Raymond Moley has conveyed to Mr. Ramsay MacDonald a message to the effect that the United States is not prepared to discuss stabilisation, but might be interested in an international exchange device which would prevent wide speculative fluctuations in currency without hindering President Roosevelt from exercising his inflationary powers. It is understood that the British policy is of a mediatory nature, and that Britain will endeavour to formulate a scheme for agreement between gold and non-gold countries.

It is believed that the formation of a Continental Group, with Britain associated with it, would almost inevitably lead to the failure of the Conference. To achieve anything substantial it is generally thought that stabilisation of the pound without stabilisation of the dollar would lead to even more chaotic conditions than are being experienced at present. —Reuter.

Gold Countries Meet

The day-long discussions on currency stabilisation yesterday culminated in a meeting of the representatives of the European gold countries, France, Italy, Belgium, Switzerland and Holland, with Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Mr. Neville Chamberlain and other members of the British delegation accompanied by their expert economic adviser, Sir Frederick Leith-Ross. The meeting adjourned at 7 p.m. until to-day.

It is learned in authoritative quarters that considerable progress was made in yesterday's discussions. The meeting of the gold standard countries started at 5.25 p.m. and adjourned at 6.45 p.m.

The discussions centred on the production of a general statement relating to the maintenance of the gold standard and the position of the countries still on that standard. —Reuter.

British Leaders Busy

RUGBY, June 30. While many committees dealing with the specific task before the World Economic Conference met in private yesterday, to continue their work, major interest was taken in currency problems of which, in the opinion of many of the delegates, a solution has to be found if the hopes entertained of the Conference are to approach fulfilment. Many private conversations were held, regarding the terms of which, despite many rumours, closest secrecy was maintained by the participants. Discussions took place between the delegates of France, Italy, Belgium, Switzerland and Holland, which are gold countries, and Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, Mr. Neville Chamberlain and the British Treasury experts.

The Prime Minister, with the other British representatives also had later conversations with the American representatives, including Professor Raymond Moley, United States Assistant Secretary of State.

Crisis Threatens

The question of limitation of currency fluctuations was also discussed in the drafting sub-committee appointed by the Financial Sub-Commission on the basis of the memorandum submitted by the United Kingdom delegation. —British Wireless Service.

French Patience Exhausted

LONDON, June 30. M. BONNET, French Finance Minister, in an interview with Reuter yesterday, said that the meeting of the gold countries, yesterday afternoon, was engaged on drafting a most definite and most resolute statement on currency stabilisation.

Gold countries were completely unanimous on the necessity of defending to the utmost the stabilisation of their currency. Gold standard countries at the conference were preparing a declaration of their own views and it would be left for Britain and America to join in, if they wish. The French assert that a declaration will be issued whatever happens. —Reuter.

Resolution Revised Nine Times

LONDON, June 30. Indications are that the final draft resolution now being considered by the gold countries follows the lines of the British proposals for checking currency speculation, and is believed to be acceptable by President Roosevelt if adopted.

The resolution is stated to have been revised nine times, each time edging away from the French demand for a statement for outright stabilisation, and is more towards the British conciliatory measure.

One of the reasons of the present drift of the resolution is Italy's inclination to the British view. —Reuter.

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, June 30. FOLLOWING ARE THE SILVER QUOTATIONS ON THE LONDON MARKET TO-DAY:

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Operators Unsteady

THE crisis at the Conference left operators in the Foreign Exchange Market very undecided when the dollar opened. New York's overnight rate of 4.27 weakened to 4.29 but recovered to 4.30 on a fair amount covering for commercial account but it was, re-offered at 4.28. Other currencies are quietly steady. —Reuter.

U.S. DOLLAR-STERLING CROSS RATE

LONDON, June 29. AFTER TOUCHING 4.41 during yesterday, the United States dollar sterling cross-rate recovered to 4.25. The pound remained steady in terms of French francs. London Stock Markets displayed some irregularity at the close. British funds were down from 1/16 to 1/4. —British Wireless Service.

Elasticity Or Fixation

LONDON, June 30. THE stabilisation of currencies remains the crucial factor at the World Economic Conference. The progress and decisions regarding the problem will provide a week-end fraught with vital possibilities.

To-day finds Britain chary of antagonising America by identifying herself with the European gold bloc and yet anxious for European stability. Thus, the Premier, Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, stands as the centre of the monetary see-saw on one end of which inflationist America is calling for elasticity, while on the other end France is calling for fixation.

The preservation of the United States boom and the gold standard in European gold countries are seemingly irreconcilable objectives, but there is emerging, in administrative circles in Washington, according to well-informed correspondents, some apprehension over the downward course of the dollar and its demoralising effect on world monetary relations.

Some are of the opinion that the dangers of the present policy are greatly outweighing its advantages.

There are indications that the authorities may modify their hitherto uncompromising attitude towards all schemes of temporary stabilisation and are prepared to discuss means whereby dollar fluctuations are limited, but this change of opinion does not necessarily imply that President Roosevelt will agree to any immediate currency agreement which will arrest his cherished rise in internal prices.

To Curb Speculation. Developments seem to be dependent upon which end of the see-saw Mr. MacDonald inclines his weight, and in the meantime, the possibility of President Roosevelt consenting to international exchange control in order to curb speculation is not likely until Britain has indicated whether she intends stabilising provisionally under terms of gold or not.

In any case, the gold country delegations are expected to issue a statement to-day, affirming their intention of mutual support of the maintenance of the gold standard. —Reuter.

THE TRUCE AND LOAN

Greatly Deprecated All-Round

Opposition against the armistice and the American loan is still championed by many bodies whose telegrams, as received here, pile up to several feet high.

The Anhui County Kuomintang has issued a telegram opposing the truce, and the National Salvation Association at Wuhan also sent out a telegram to the same effect, while the Canton-Hankow Railway Kuomintang office and the Ching-Ching County Kuomintang are following suit.

Objection against the American loan is undertaken by the Kuomintang organ of the Canton-Hankow Railway, Hoiping County Kuomintang and many others. The Association For the Relief to Volunteers issued a circular message stating that they are continuing to raise funds to support those Chinese forces who are resisting the Japanese. Denouncing the Tangku truce in strong terms, the Association hopes the public will continue their contribution for a noble and worthy cause. —Central Press.

CHANCE FOR THE LAWLESS

TO BECOME GOOD CITIZENS

CANTON, June 30. General Chen Chi Tang, commander-in-chief of the first group army, has issued a set of regulations giving the lawless elements a chance to reform and to pursue lawful livelihood.

These regulations apply to those who are forced to become brigands but who have not killed any one or set fire to houses. Such a person must have the guarantee of three individuals of good standing in the community and must submit three copies of his photograph to the local civil or military authorities. He has to surrender himself in person, and if he is found to be in good faith a certificate will be issued by the first group army permitting him to resume decent life. If he should commit crimes again, his surety will be liable financially for his misdeeds.

These rules will be put into operation after formal approval by the South-West Political Council. —Central Press.

CHINA'S INVADED TERRITORIES

NANKING URGED TO ATTEMPT RE-CAPTURE

SHANGHAI, June 30. A representative meeting of the Shanghai Chamber of Commerce telegraphed yesterday to the Nanking authorities urging prompt steps be taken to recover invaded territories.

The Japanese are fortifying their position in the occupied and invaded zone with a view to permanent occupation, the telegram said, and unless immediate measures are taken to recapture those places it will be impossible to regain them later on.

The National Salvation Association in Kwangsi has also telegraphed to Nanking urging that effective assistance be given to General Feng Yu Hsiang who is stubbornly and effectively repelling the Japanese from Chharhar province.

The Association also urged the Nanking government to set aside the Gold \$50,000,000 loan which is injurious to the interests of the Chinese people. —Central Press.

KIANGSE FAMINE VICTIMS

A joint executive and supervisory committee of the Association for the Relief to Kiangsi Famine Victims held a meeting yesterday. It was decided that the Kuomintang South-west Executive Committee be requested to order all provinces to organize committees for the famine relief of victims.

The next meeting will decide on the various measures of relief. The meeting was held under the auspices of the highest government organs of the South-west, and the members of the Association must be high officials of these offices. —Central Press.

MR. T. V. SOONG DENOUNCED

By The South-West Political Council

CANTON, June 30. The South-West Political Council has despatched the following telegraphic message to Mr. Ramsay MacDonald as head of His Britannic Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom:

"There are persistent reports that Mr. T. V. Soong, Chinese Finance Minister, is trying to negotiate a loan in London. While he is not likely to find London as responsive as Washington, the South-West Political Council deems it expedient, in order to avoid misunderstanding and prevent the possible recrudescence of anti-British feeling in South China, to state as follows:—

"First, Mr. Soong is the person responsible for the series of internal loans, aggregating one thousand two hundred million silver dollars, which he floated solely to enable his brother-in-law, Chiang Kai Shek, to wage a succession of disastrous civil wars and private vendettas against personal and political opponents.

"Secondly, as a result of these operations in frenzied finance and in medieval warfare, China finds herself nearly bankrupt but still contriving to spend sixteen million out of a monthly revenue of eighteen million dollars on an army incapable of dealing with the Communists internally and impotent to defend the country against Japanese aggression though useful for purposes of civil war.

"Thirdly, inasmuch as Mr. Soong is no longer able to float further internal loans (the Shanghai bankers refuse to assist him, since his so-called conversion loan last year was essentially a partial repudiation of previous loans), he has now to resort to foreign borrowing in order to finance his brother-in-law's seasonal civil wars.

"Fourthly, foreign borrowing for productive or constructive purposes, or otherwise for the economic development of China or for national defense against Japanese aggression would undoubtedly serve vital Chinese interests. But foreign loans involving either the payment of money or the supply of arms and munitions on credit guaranteed under the Trade Facilities Act and to be used for the prosecution of civil war (which is the dominant purpose of Mr. Soong's loan activities abroad) are clearly anti-national and call for emphatic condemnation and repudiation on the part of the Chinese people.

"In these circumstances, the South-West Political Council has to declare that any loan or loans negotiated or to be negotiated abroad by Mr. Soong will be nationally repudiated." —Central Press.

LAND AND AERIAL OFFENSIVE

TO BE LAUNCHED AGAINST THE REDS

General Yu Hsiang Mou, commanding officer of the first (Cantonese) army, had a conference with Lieut. Gen. Huang Kwang Jui, chief of the air force, at the headquarters of the air force at the Hsiu Giu Ling aerodrome.

The two generals are discussing a joint land and aerial offensive against the Reds in southern Kiangsi and will submit their plan to General Chen Chi Tang, their superior officer.

Military reports from southern Kiangsi state that important Soviet political organs at Hui-chang have been removed, to Juichin which is better defended than Hui-chang, as the Communists fear that the Cantonese forces would soon launch an attack on that town. Accordingly all the important Red archives are sent away to Juichin which the Communists will mark out as the last line of defense.

The Cantonese forces are now concentrated at Chumtun, southern Kiangsi which was recently taken from the Communist rif raff. The coming push will be launched from the north-east of that town. —Central Press.

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THE NEW CHAMPION

How Carnera Beat Jack Sharkey

New York, June 30.
OVER forty thousand people, scorning the sweltering heat, saw Primo Carnera, "the Ambulant Alp," win the world's heavyweight championship to-night.

His victory, in the sixth round of the title bout, came as a shock to the crowd. Jack Sharkey, holder of the championship title, had won the first five rounds with ease and almost had the fight in his pocket.

Nevertheless, Sharkey was knocked out in the sixth round. After sending in a ponderous right to the body, Carnera caught "Jack" napping by following up with a terrific uppercut, which sent the champion reeling to the boards to be counted out.

One real blow was all that was necessary.

Carnera weighed in at 18st. 8½ lbs. and Sharkey at 14st. 5 lbs.

The First Round.

When the gong sounded for the first round, Carnera moved majestically from his corner. Sharkey dove in immediately and landed left hooks to the head and body. Carnera caught him off his balance and hurled him to the ropes. Sharkey charged back and landed left and right to the head, was again sent flying to the ropes, but came back to land a beautiful right to Carnera's chin.

Carnera was more cautious in the second round. He was pushing out a left lead, smothering Sharkey, who manoeuvred round the giant and finally landed a terrific right to the jaw which sent Carnera staggering against the ropes. Sharkey tried to follow-up but his efforts were smothered by the Italian.

Vicious Rights.

In the third round, it was Sharkey's turn to be cautious, feinting and hobbing and smiling derisively as Carnera flailed the air with wild swings. Sharkey drove in some vicious rights to the head and lefts to the body while keeping up his dancing display, keeping Carnera more or less on the defensive.

In the fourth, Sharkey slipped under Carnera's long left and pumped in a quick volley of body blows and got away unscathed. Primo seemed to get angry and missed badly in his efforts to connect heavy blows.

He took several lefts to the head and then replied by grabbing Sharkey's left hand and drawing him towards him and, at the same time, striking him on the head. He was warned by the referee for this incident.

Warned Again.

Sharkey sniped cautiously in the fifth round trying to bring down the giant Italian's guard. Carnera was again warned for bear-like tactics. Sharkey then showed signs of renewed activity and drove Carnera round the ring before a barrage of smashing blows, including a terrible right to the temple which caused Carnera to wobble like a chimney and retreat to his corner as the bell sounded.

In the sixth and last round, the champion started by crouching low and teasing the giant by stabbing blows to the face, followed by a vicious hook to the body.

The End.

Carnera counter-attacked, pushing and thumping the champion backwards. Sharkey slipped but jumped up again. He attacked, but Carnera kept him off with long left leads and ripped ponderous rights to the body. Following one of these blows, he dived up and delivered a terrific uppercut which sent Sharkey reeling to the floor. He lay unable to rise. He made no effort to get up and was counted out. This round lasted 2 minutes 27 seconds.—*Reuter*.

LOCAL BASEBALL

LINGNAM UNIVERSITY DROPS OUT

As the Lingnam University will be unable to continue in the Hong Kong Baseball League, the schedule has been re-arranged as follows:

- 1.—H.K. Baseball Club v. South China Athletic Association.
- 2.—Open (if the above game is postponed).
- 3.—South China Athletic Association v. U.S. Navy.
- 4.—U.S. Navy v. H.K. Baseball Club.
- 5.—H.K. Baseball Club v. U.S. Navy.
- 6.—U.S. Navy v. South China Athletic Association.

SUSSEX IN FINE FORM

Beats Yorkshire By Ten Wickets

London, June 30.

The following games in the County Championship were finished to-day. It will be interesting to note that Sussex beat Yorkshire by 10 wickets! The scores as cabled by Reuter were:

Warwick beat Surrey by an innings and 23 runs.
Warwick, 388 (Santall 142).
Surrey, 231 (Mayer 5 for 57) and 128 (Brown 8 for 35).
Lancashire beat Derby by 2 wickets.
Derby, 128 (Sibbles 5 for 49) and 181.
Lancashire, 182 (Mitchell 6 for 69) and 131 for 7.
Sussex beat Yorkshire by 10 wickets.
Sussex, 378 (J. Langridge 139, not out) and 17 for 0.
Yorkshire, 131 (Leyland 50) and 213.

AT WIMBLEDON

HOW THE DIFFERENT COUNTRIES STAND

London, June 30.

The Third Round of both the Men's and Women's Singles Championships was completed at Wimbledon yesterday.

American challenge for the men's event has resulted in four of her entrants reaching the last sixteen. Britain has three, and South Africa, Ireland, Czechoslovakia and Australia have one representative each.

In the women's event Britain leads with seven contenders, while America (3), Germany and France (2) and Switzerland and Italy complete the last sixteen.

First Round.
Bunny Austin (Britain) beat Keith Glenhill 6-3, 10-8, 6-1.
F. D. B. Spence (S. Africa) beat J. V. Kirby (S. Africa) 7-9, 6-4, 4-6, 6-2.

MEN'S SINGLES

G. P. Hughes (Britain) beat T. Aoki (Japan) 6-2, 6-1, 6-0.
Jiro Satoh (Japan) beat J. Lyssaght (Britain) 4-6, 6-3, 6-0, 6-2.
Henri Cochet (France) beat Burwell 2-6, 6-4, 6-3, 5-7, 6-3.
Steadman (New Zealand) beat Condon 9-11, 6-3, 6-2, 5-7, 6-4.
Jack Crawford (Australia) beat Gentil (France) 6-3, 6-4, 6-6.
H. G. N. Lee (Britain) beat Vivian McGrath (Australia) 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.
Ellsworth Vines (U.S.A.) beat R. Miki (Japan) 6-2, 6-4, 6-4.
R. Menzel (Czechoslovakia) beat N. Farquharson (S. Africa) 6-3, 6-2, 6-2.
Stefen beat W. H. Powell (Britain) 6-2, 6-4, 6-2.
D. Fromm (Germany) beat D. P. Turnbull (Australia) 7-5, 6-0, 6-2.
Clifford Sutter (U.S.A.) beat Von Cramm (Germany) 6-3, 6-4, 9-7.
De Stefani (Italy) beat Andre Merlin (France) 6-4, 6-2, 6-1.

WOMEN'S SINGLES

First Round.
Mrs. Wills-Moody (U.S.A.) beat Mrs. Macready (Britain) 6-0, 6-0.
Second Round.
Kathleen Stammers (Britain) beat Miss Strawson 6-3, 6-0.
Miss Enfloppinger beat Virginia Rice (U.S.A.) 6-4, 6-4.
Betty Nuthall (Britain) beat Miss Thomas (Britain) 6-4, 6-2.
Margaret Scriven (Britain) beat Mrs. Godfree (Britain) 6-2, 1-6, 6-3.

Third Round.
Helen Jacobs (U.S.A.) beat Peggy Saunders (Britain) 6-3, 6-3.
Miss Horn (Ge. ay) beat Mlle. Jadazrejowski (Pol.) 6-3, 6-3.
Miss Betty Nuthall (Britain) beat Miss Joan Ridley (Britain) 6-1, 6-3.
Mlle. Henrotin (France) beat Fr. Kuepfinger (Germany) 7-5, 6-1.
Helen Jacobs (U.S.A.) beat Miss Frencham (Britain) 6-2, 6-1.
Fr. Krahwinkel (Germany) beat Freda James (Britain) 6-3, 6-4.
Mrs. Fearnley Whittingall (Britain) beat Miss Dearman (Britain) 6-3, 4-6, 6-2.

Men's Doubles
First Round.
T. Aoki and Tuckett beat Freeman and Van Meurs 3-6, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.
R. Nuno and J. Satoh (Japan) beat De Kehringer and Enrique Maler 6-3, 6-4, 6-4.
Second Round.
Instruction, at 5.30 p.m.
2.—N.C.O.'s Class will be held on Friday, June 7, 1933, at 5.30 p.m.

MEN'S DOUBLES

First Round.
T. Aoki and Tuckett beat Freeman and Van Meurs 3-6, 6-4, 6-1, 6-2.
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NOTICE

Sergeants' Mess Committee.
The Sergeants' Mess Committee will meet on Wednesday, July 5, 1933, at 8 p.m.

H.K. VOLUNTEER DEFENCE CORPS.

(Orders by Colonel L. G. Bird, D.S.O., O.B.E., Commandant, H.K.V.D.C.)

1.—Parade.
There will be a Band Practice on Friday, July 7, at Headquarters at 6 p.m. sharp.

(b.)—Corps Signals.
Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, July 4.
(c.)—Machine Gun Troop.
Parade at Causeway Stables at 5.30 p.m. for Pack Saddle Drill on Tuesday, July 4, 1933.

(d.)—Armoured Car Section.
1.—The Section will parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. sharp on Monday, July 3, 1933.
2.—The Field Firing projected for Sunday, July 2, will not now take place.

(e.)—Motor Machine Gun Section.
1.—All ranks parade at Headquarters on Monday, July 3, at 5.30 p.m. for Machine Gun Instruction.
2.—All ranks are again reminded that Driving and Cycle Licences are due for renewal and must be returned at once to O.C. Company.

(f.)—Machine Gun Company.
1.—Thursday, July 6, N.C.O.'s Class. Application of Fire, Fire Orders, Fire Machine Gun.
2.—Friday, July 7, No. 1 Machine Gun Signals—Action and Cease Firing.

(g.)—A.A.L.A. Company.
All Sections will parade at Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Monday, July 3, 1933.

(h.)—Portuguese Company.
A lecture for N.C.O.'s and any men of the Company who wish to attend will be held on July 11. Subject "Map Reading."

The next lecture will be held on July 18 by O.S.M. Slattery, continuing on the subject of Duties and Responsibilities of N.C.O.'s of an Infantry Battalion. N.C.O.'s are reminded that it is their duty to attend these lectures in order to obtain the necessary knowledge required for training their men.

July 25 will be reserved for the answering and discussion of questions sent in to O.C. Company. Any men of the Company are invited to send in questions if they wish. On the occasion of the last evening of this nature, no questions were received from any of the junior rank N.C.O.'s, who are most in need of instruction. This notice will give ample time for the consideration of the various subjects and preparation of questions to be dealt with.

(i.)—The Officers commanding the undermentioned Units will issue their Orders to their Commands separately:

The Battery,
Engineer Company,
Scottish Company,
Anzac Company.

2.—Obituary.
The Commandant deeply regrets to announce the death of No. 9099 Tpr. W. V. Clark of the Machine Gun Troop on the 26th instant at Shanghai.

All ranks of the Corps tender their deepest sympathy to the bereaved.

3.—Allotment of Kenedy Road Range.

The above Range is allotted to the Armoured Car Section on Monday, July 3, 1933, at 5.30 p.m.

4.—Leave.

No. 2008 Pte. H. F. Russell, Armoured Car Section, granted six months' leave, commencing from June 26 to December 5, 1933.

5.—Struck Off the Strength.

Having completed three years service—No. 1477 Bdm. F. Rosario, Corps Band, as from March 12, 1933.

6.—Promotion.

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the promotion of Lieutenant A. H. Potts to the rank of Captain in the Hong Kong Volunteer Defence Corps, with effect from June 20, 1933.

7.—Strength.

No. 2070 Tpr. W. C. G. Knowles, Butterfield and Swire, Tel. No. 30331, M.G. Troop, as from June 29, 1933.

No. 2071 Tpr. R. H. Cole, G. K. Hall Brutton & Co., Tel. No. 20681, M.G. Troop, as from June 29, 1933.

T. H. S. GALETTI, Lieutenant, Adjutant, H.K.V.D.C. Hong Kong, June 30, 1933.

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AFTER ORDERS.
Anzac Company.
1.—Parade at Headquarters on Monday, July 3, for Machine Gun.

(Continued on previous column)

LAWN BOWLS IF FINE!

Recreio has Big Task To-day

BOWLING GREEN AGAIN PLAYING AWAY

(By "TOUCHER.")

If the weather should clear up sufficiently for lawn bowls to be played to-day, which does not look like being the case at the time of writing, there should be at least one very interesting game to watch. I refer, of course, to the Craignower Club de Recreio game which is due to be played at Happy Valley. The whole week's programme in the Singles has been washed out with the exception of one match, and if the week-end arrangements are interfered with as well, it will look as though the league will be delayed some considerable time. So far only one week end, (May 30) has proved to be too wet for bowls and possibly to-day will be the second.

If the games can be played however, I predict a win for Craignower on their home ground against Club de Recreio. When these two teams met earlier in the season Craignower won and to-day with the added advantage of the home ground, things ought to be easy for them. If Recreio should be successful to-day they will have a very good chance of winning the league, and if Craignower win, it seems almost certain that they will take the league honours.

The Kowloon Bowling Green will be travelling to Taikoo and I am not so sure that they are going to go home with full points. The Taikoo men can put up a good show when least expected, and may do so to-day. Police are at home to the K.C.C. and should collect the points. Kowloon Docks should not have much difficulty with Civil Service.

In the junior games, the Yacht Club are due to meet the Kowloon Bowling Green Club and I predict a win for the latter although the Yacht Club enjoy a big advantage by playing on their home ground. The Club de Recreio will be at home to the league leaders, Craignower and are most likely to upset calculations. Civil Service and the Kowloon C.C. are at home respectively to the Electric R.C. and the Indians and the home teams should win at each ground.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

First Division.
Kowloon v. Civil Service
Craignower v. Club de Recreio.
Police R.C. v. Kowloon C.C.
Taikoo R.C. v. Bowling Green C.

Second Division.
Yacht Club v. Kowloon B.G.C.
Club de Recreio v. Craignower
Civil Service v. Electric
Kowloon C.C. v. Indian R.C.

U.S. BASEBALL

YANKEES WIN AND SENATORS LOSE

New York, June 30.
ST. LOUIS Cardinals staged a comeback yesterday when they overcame the Giants by 7 to 3 on their own diamond.

The encounter between Boston Red Sox and Chicago White Sox was abandoned owing to rain. Results as cabled by Reuter:

National League.
Chicago v. R. H. E.
F. Herman hit a homer.
Brooklyn v. 2 7 0

Pittsburgh v. 4 8 0
Philadelphia v. 6 11 1
Chuck Klein hit a homer.

St. Louis v. 7 12 1
New York v. 3 10 0

American League.
New York v. 9 13 1
Crossett hit a homer.
Cleveland v. 3 12 0

Philadelphia v. 4 7 0
Johnson hit a homer.
St. Louis v. 1 8 1

Washington v. 4 11 1
Kuhel hit a homer.
Detroit v. 5 10 1

Either we, and the United States, must get our shoulders to the wheel and drive the next few months, or we must let ourselves be partitioned into a few states, which may well be the forerunners of a modern civilization.—*St. Oloffe*

18,000 GERMANS IN POLITICAL CAMPS

To Become "Fit Citizens"

Berlin.—Some 18,000 Germans from all walks of life are being held in the political concentration camps in various parts of the country. Wilhelm Frick, Prussian minister of the interior, explained that they will be kept there until they become "fit citizens," reconciled if not converted, to the Nazi regime of Adolf Hitler.

Most of the 18,000 are socialists or communists. Of all ages and classes, they are kept on a strict routine of exercise and work. Quarters vary from an ancient castle, like Hohnstein, in Saxony, which was a shelter for youthful hikers before it was converted to its present use, to rough barracks surrounded by barbed wire entanglements.

Sanitary conditions generally are described as excellent. There are doctors at each camp to care for the health of the inmates, and some of them report that the political prisoners are adapted at getting out of a "sick call."

Most of them stimulate sickness because they think they'll get hospital leave, was the way the newspaper Taegliche Rundschau quoted the camp physician at Oranienburg, near Berlin.

Hard At It.

At Oranienburg there are 16½ hours routine daily. The schedule calls for 2½ hours military training, like scaling barricades and drill in columns and company front formation, an hour and a half of physical culture and five hours of manual labour.

The physical culture includes morning setting-up exercises, football matches and similar group games. The manual labour is mostly tidying up the camp premises and barracks, but there are odd jobs too, such as sewing or painting swastika emblems on confiscated communist flags.

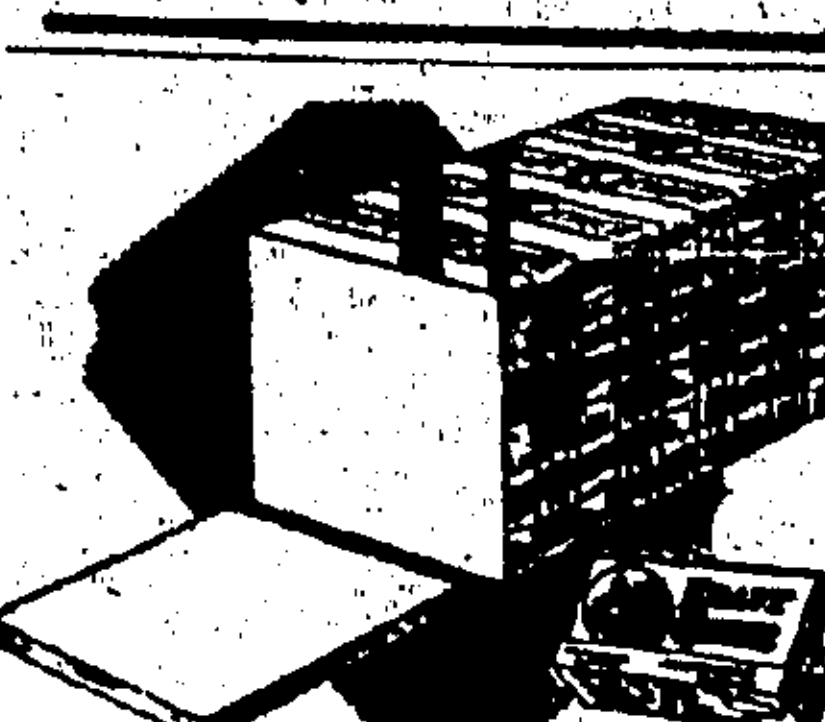
At most of the camps privileges are few. Major Kauffman, head of the big Heuberg camp in Wuerttemberg, said his prisoners were allowed to write one letter a month. There are no visiting days there. "Sometimes half the population of the village tries to get in to see the prisoners," the major told a German newspaper writer. "There are false and genuine fiancées, young fellows with faded passes, women in peasant garb and women in silks."

All are turned away, whereupon there is much waiting and complaining. But orders are orders.

Martyrs!
Taegliche Rundschau sees political ideas of tomorrow coming from the concentration camps of to-day. Quoting a prisoner as saying, "sure we'd like to get out; but this is a good enough place to think things over," the paper comments: "Many of the prisoners are only now aware of their political importance. They feel like martyrs and are experiencing the start within themselves of what becomes the great idea."

Besides Oranienburg, the principal camps are at Heuberg, which has 1,750 inmates; Breslau, Sonnenburg, in Thuringia; and Dachau in Bavaria.

The communist "elite," including Ernst Thaelmann, former presidential candidate, Karl von Ossietzki, writer, and several attorneys, have been transferred from jail in Berlin to the Sonnenburg camp.



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ADVERTISEMENTS.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY.

WE beg to notify our customers that the Store will be closed on Saturday, 1st July, with the following exceptions:

Exchange Restaurant, Corner House, Kowloon Branch, will remain open as usual.

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MR. S. R. ISMAIL
Retires After Forty Years with Godown Company

After over forty years' service with the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Ltd., Mr. Shiek Runjahn Ismail, a prominent member of the local Indian community, said good-bye to the staff yesterday when he severed his connection with the Company on a well-earned retirement.

Mr. Ismail joined the Company in 1891, and when interviewed by our representative yesterday said that he had seen many changes along the foreshore in Kowloon. In fact one of his colleagues described Mr. Ismail as having grown up with the Godown Company, and although Mr. Ismail was "getting on in years," our informant said that he was sure that Mr. Ismail parted very reluctantly with "his old friend."

When he first joined the Godowns, Mr. Ismail said the Company only boasted one wharf and the buildings were nowhere near what they were now. He added that the place has grown very much, but he refused to speak of the long innings he had in the *fo-chong*.

Mr. Ismail was very well-liked by his seniors and subordinates alike. His unassuming courtesy won for him a very large circle of friends, and as a reminder of the many happy days he spent in the Godowns, his colleagues presented him with a beautiful radio set.

THE U.S. \$50 MILLION LOAN

NANKING GETS "QUALIFIED APPROVAL"

NANKING, June 17.

Qualified approval of the \$50 million loan for the purchase of American wheat and cotton is expressed in telegrams received by the Executive Yuan from the various industrial interests, chiefly affected by the loan, including the China Cotton Trade Association, the Chinese Cotton Mills Association and the Shanghai Flour Guild.

While highly appreciative of the well-meaning intentions of the Government in obtaining the loan, the China Cotton Trade Association, however, expressed apprehension that the influx of such large quantities of American cotton may seriously affect the market for native cotton. Moreover, the excess of supply over demand is likely to force down the price level and thus cause serious losses to the cotton producers.

Even for the cotton-spinning mills, the benefit will be more apparent than real, the Association says. While the import of American cotton may certainly relieve the present shortage of raw cotton, the drop in prices will however reduce the purchasing power of the rural population, (thereby decreasing the demand for cotton yarn). The cotton mills will thus be confronted with the problem of over-production.

The Association suggests therefore that a special committee be appointed for the administration of the loan, and that the cotton trade be given representation on the Committee. It also urges that the price of native cotton should be stabilized by fixing the prices at which the American cotton is to be sold on the Chinese market.

Cotton and Flour Mill Owners.

The Chinese Cotton Mills Association admits, in its telegram, that the loan will provide temporary relief for the shortage in raw cotton now confronting the cotton mills.

It declares, however, that this is by no means a fundamental measure for the relief of the country's cotton spinning industry and will moreover result in an outflow of money. It urges therefore that the proceeds of the loan must be used strictly for the development of industries and rehabilitation of rural districts, in order that some lasting benefit may be derived therefrom.

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MR. TSE TSAN TAI'S FORESTRY AND FARM EXPERIMENTS

(BY OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT)

Quite a lot has been said in these columns in regard to the rapid growth of Kowloon. I will take a step in the opposite direction this time and pick out some of the old landmarks that seem to have faded from the face of the earth.

The younger generation and those residents in the Colony who have not been here long, will not remember very well Mr. Tse Tsan Tai's Seeton Estate. They may, of course, have heard about it, but I doubt very much whether they have actually been to the place.

I remember very well a visit I paid to the place years ago, and although I was a comparative youngster then, I remember it very vividly for that was the first time that I plucked up enough courage to take a dive off the side of the launch in a bathing picnic!

This estate I am referring to is situated somewhere in Tsau Wan, and although one can get out there by car now, the only way one could get out to it formerly was by launch. The place is next door to the Texas Oil Company tanks (or I should perhaps have said installation), and although there is now nothing to be seen there, a visit to it should still prove very interesting.

An Experimental Farm.

I do not quite recollect the exact date when Mr. Tse acquired the place, but I remember it was during the governorship of Sir Matthew Nathan. Incidentally, Sir Cecil Clementi (then Mr. Clementi) was the district officer at the time.

Being a man of foresight and enterprise, Mr. Tse thought it would be a good idea to experiment with the different kinds of trees and vegetables on this farm which had an area of about thirty-seven acres. He had pine trees planted all over the hillside, and even to-day there is evidence of the success of this experiment. The soil there seemed particularly suitable for the cultivation of pines, and there was never any bother with them. Not content with this, Mr. Tse went in for vegetables and his own-grown lettuces were very much in demand among his large circle of friends!

A Memorial Hall.

Some years after he acquired the estate, Mr. Tse was so pleased with the results of his early labours, that he put up a small summer bungalow there and this was first used as his week-end residence but with the development of the place, it grew into a semi-permanent residence during the hot months when the sea breezes at Seeton proved healthy and invigorating.

While the place was essentially used as a farm, Mr. Tse did not lose track of the "beauty" side of it, and by his careful and judicious handling, it soon developed into a very pretty seashore estate. There was a tennis court and large grounds, and the beach just in front of the bungalow made swimming in the hot weather extremely pleasant.

Some little time after the bungalow was completed, Mr. Tse decided to "improve on it" and the result was that it was converted into the Kwong Han Lau, a memorial hall dedicated to the memory of his friend and colleague, Mr. Yeung Ku Wan, who was one of the early revolutionaries.

A Picnic Spot.

While he spent so much of his time and money in development of this farm, Mr. Tse did not shut the public out from it. On the other hand, it was often thrown open to the local school children who made it one of their favourite picnic spots, and it was no unusual thing for Mr. Tse to receive two or three requests in the course of a week for permission for such-and-such a school to hold "a picnic party at your delightful Seeton Estate."

The estate was being developed along the right lines and it went to show that the cultivation of the pine tree could be a very profitable business if run properly. But towards 1931, the Government decided to resume the land and buildings and since then Mr. Tse has had to give up his farming, a job to which he had devoted so many years.

The Seeton Estate still stands, but isolated as it appears, it serves to be nothing but a sad reminder of the better days it had seen.

INTERNATIONAL GOLF

ENGLISH LADIES WIN BY 7 TO 2

LONDON, June 29.

THE BRITISH lady golfers repeated last year's success when they beat the French ladies in the international match yesterday. The scores were:

Britain 7

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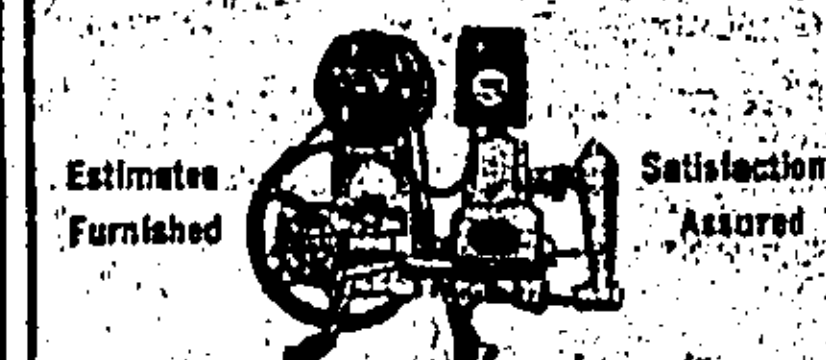
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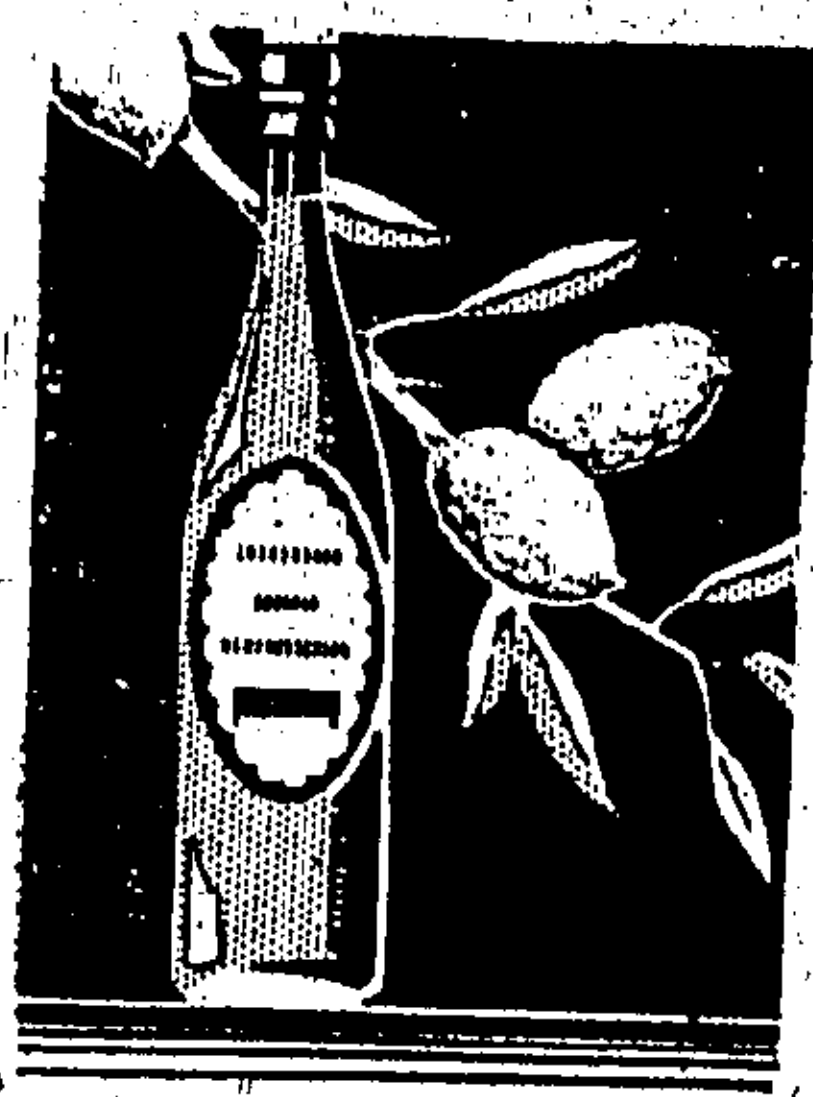
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**CHRISTIAN SCIENCE SANATORIUM
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A member of the local Christian Science community sends the following account of a recent Christian Scientists Meeting in Boston, Mass.

Word that no further contributions to the fund for the building of the new \$84,000,000 home now being erected for The Christian Science Publishing Society need be made after July 1 was announced at the Annual Meeting of The Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Massachusetts.

Members from many lands—more than 5000 in all—heard an inspiring message from The Christian Science Board of Directors, read by Mr. Charles E. Heitman, chairman, gratefully acknowledging the "sacrifice and unselfed efforts" of those "who have made possible the completion of the new Publishing House without delay and without debt."

Gratitude for the growth of the church, the increasing interest in its healing ministry, and the more pronounced readiness of its members to meet the demands of the hour was voiced in the message from the Board of Directors.

New Churches.
Reports of marked progress by the Board of Lectureship in larger gatherings at free public lectures pointed toward growth in healing in another direction. Sixty-three new branch church organizations have been added to The Mother Church, and 33 Christian Science Societies have qualified for the title of Church, the Department of Branches and Practitioners reported.

Christian Science Healing.
Incidents of Christian Science healing were read, as follows:
Each year Christian Scientists from every part of the world send to The Christian Science Publishing Society, for publication in the periodicals, their grateful testimonies of healing. A number of

selected testimonies were read from the hundreds received during the year and these had been carefully verified.

A young woman who had been pronounced incurably blind and afflicted with heart disease, writes: "I was completely healed of the heart trouble after one day's treatment—so completely in fact that the remembrance of the attacks was blotted out of my consciousness until I was questioned about my condition. Thereafter I sought help about sight and two days later I suddenly commenced to see dimly at first but in ten days I could see to read a letter, and five months thereafter I could see to read the vest pocket edition of Science and Health."

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**More Sino-Japanese Trouble
Again Looms In North
CONTROL OF NEUTRAL ZONE
C.E.R. CONFERENCE AT TOKYO**

Tientsin, June 22.
Sino-Japanese troubles over control and administration of the newly-established neutral zone south of the Great Wall became increasingly entangled to-day.
A group of Chinese irregulars under the leadership of a group of renegade military officers have declared a large area along the Luan river to be independent, announcing it would no longer be subject to the authority of the Hebei provincial government.

National government representatives branded this move as "Japanese instigated, meaning nothing except to reveal the bad faith of the Japanese in the Tangku truce" by which the neutral zone was established.

The Japanese military now have demanded that the Chinese explain why they have not established an administration of the zone in accordance with the truce, which marked the close of the recent Japanese invasion of North China. They also demanded to know why railway service has not been resumed between Tientsin and Shanghai.

Accuse Japanese.
Both Chinese political and military leaders asserted the demands were "brazen effrontery" and charged the Japanese with being responsible for preventing establishment of a competent administration of the neutral zone and resumption of rail service.
The Japanese, it was charged, have poured Manchukuo troops into the zone and also instigated the Chinese irregulars in the zone to oppose the Chinese authorities.
Chinese authorities claim the irregulars in the zone are "either Chinese forces or they belong to Japan. In the first instance it is for Japan to drive them out as they expelled the regular Chinese troops. In the latter event Japan should withdraw them north of the Great Wall."

The Japanese authorities further demanded that a portion of the irregulars in the vicinity of the Luan river guard the sections of the railway in the zone, maintaining that these forces actually belong to the Chinese constituted forces and are suitable for this duty.

Foreigners Affected.

In return the Chinese reiterated that they were under Japanese control and "if they guard the railway Japan thereby gains control of the rail lines from Mukden clear through to Tientsin, a development China can not accept."

Neutral residents commented to-day that the embroiled situation bears many evidence of Japanese handiwork. On the other hand Japanese spokesmen claim they are eager that administration of the zone be established as quickly as possible, to clear up the situation.

Foreign interests, including the Anglo-Chinese mines at Tangshan, north of here, and American and British troops meanwhile are being affected. The American Fifteenth Infantry regiment at Tientsin has made arrangements to go by sea to Chinwangtao for summer rifle practice, and the British can not use the railway without special arrangements to go to Shanghai for the same purpose.

CONFERENCE ON C.E.R. OPENS

Tokyo, June 23.
A conference in which Japan hopes to eliminate the last vestiges of Soviet influence in Manchuria and nullify Russia as a strategic factor on the shores of the Pacific, completing a process begun by the Russo-Japanese war of 1904, is scheduled to open at the foreign office to-morrow afternoon.
Count Uchida, the foreign minister, is to give an address of welcome to the visiting Moscow and Manchukuo delegation at 2 o'clock. Ostensibly Manchukuo is negotiating for the purchase of the Chinese Eastern railway from the Soviet Union, but actually Japan is taking advantage of Russia's apparent willingness to peacefully withdraw from Manchuria and admitting the full mastery of Japan in that area.

May Avoid War.

High Japanese authorities stress to the Associated Press to-day that success or failure of the conference will determine Japanese-Russian relations for the next generation. Peaceful transfer of the railway would practically eradicate the chance of a new Russo-Japanese war and therefore the diplomatic attention of the Orient has been diverted from the world economic conference at London to Tokyo, it was said.

The Chinese Eastern railway, which Japan and Manchukuo officials insist on calling the North Manchuria, anticipating its early inclusion in Manchukuo's Japan-controlled rail system, originally a joint enterprise of the Czarist Russia and Chinese empires, both of which have disappeared.
Now the Soviet Union and Manchukuo, two usurpers, are bargaining for what's left, brusquely ignoring the claims and protests of the Chinese republican government at Nanking.

Price Difficulty.

The price is considered the most difficult problem faced. The Czar spent \$10,000,000 gold roubles to build the 1,000 miles of the C.E.R., and no authority expects Moscow to recover even a tenth of this. But prolonged and intensive bargaining is expected, political trades as well as money playing a part.

The Japanese-Manchukuo tactics will be to let the Soviet make an offer and then to counter.
The delegates already have assembled at Tokyo. The Soviet group, appointed several weeks ago, is composed of Konstantin Yurenev, the ambassador to Japan; Benedict Kozlovsky, chief of the Far Eastern section of Moscow's foreign (Continued on next Column)

THE ANIMAL KINGDOM

TO BE SHOWN AT CENTRAL

(Continued from page 3).

able. It was difficult to release the words that rose to his mouth. "Daisy" . . . "It needn't be terribly serious—nobody's life time sentence. Just for a short while if you like. You see, it would be such a dirty trick on him, if we didn't. After I get my stuff through for the July issue—then Mexico for a month. I love you so much, I was a fool ever to wait. Oh, Tom, he a sport. "Daisy"—Tom began again.

Daisy studied him for a moment. "All right. Let's forget about it. I know you are going to tell me something terrible. What is it?" Tom threw up his hands in a gesture of helplessness. "Finally he blurted out. 'I'm going to be married to some one else.'"

Daisy looked at him unbelievably. "You can spare me the details please. But—who is she?"

Tom told her about Cecilia. Then he added fearfully, "Look here Daisy there's to be no nonsense about not seeing each other as friends again, or any of that. But there will be that nonsense all right. 'But I don't understand. I thought for a long time we'd been out of danger so far as . . .'"

Daisy understood. "Wanting each other? Speak for yourself Tom!" Slowly and thoughtfully Daisy brought her words out. "It's true, that side of it was never so much to us, was it? Not in comparison—not after those first crazy months. But I thought that was natural. I was even glad of it—glad to find it was—other needs that held us together. Closely—without claims—not a claim. Suddenly she looked at him, almost pleadingly. "Tom do you have to marry her? I was just thinking perhaps you want her most awful."

"I want to marry her, Daisy—and it's more than that." "I don't see how you can tell quite yet. For all our big talk, we still belong to the animal kingdom." Tom raised her hand and kissed it. "There's no one like you—never will be. I know that. But this I can't tell you."

The tears welled in Daisy's eyes, but she managed to avoid Tom's observation, and said lightly. "Well goodbye until Doomsday, my darling."

"Daisy dear listen to me." "And I want you to take some things of yours that are here."

Tom stood up, gazing at her. I don't believe in this. I don't believe in any of it."

"Go in and tell them will you! Fetch Thomas. I have work to do, my son, a great deal of it." As Tom did not move she said, "No! Then kindly permit me to."

Daisy walked into her bedroom, bitterly fighting back her tears. (Continued on next Column)

affairs commissariat; and Stepan Kuznetsov, vice chairman of the C.E.R. directorate and the ranking Soviet representative in the joint railway organization.

The Manchukuo group comprises General Ting Shih Yuan, the minister to Japan; and Chuichi Ohashi, a Japanese subject who is vice minister of foreign affairs for the state set up by Japan sixteen months ago.

Ostensibly Japan's role is that of host and mediator but actually Uchida will be the controlling power.

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She dabbed her eyes with a handkerchief while she continued talking. And then you must say goodbye to me—sadly. We'll make it an unmarriage ceremony, to keep it all quite regular. You must grasp my hand in yours—one splendid gesture—and murmur, "Goodbye, my Daisy. Thanks very much. A charming association."

He murmured "Never goodbye, my darling," snatched his hat and stepped out of the apartment. When Daisy returned to the living room and found Tom gone, the bundle containing his wash dropped out of her hands. For a moment she stood rigid. Then she seated herself at her work table and began to sketch. But she did not sketch for long. Her eyes were weary and they closed, her head began to throb. Had Tom actually been there and told her that he was going to be married—to someone else? Why did he leave without saying goodbye?

(Continued next week.)

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